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News Briefs

Jury Finds Bogaert Guilty of Attempted Murder

A Crawford County jury found John Bogaert, 50, of Grayling, guilty of assault with attempt to murder in a 48th Circuit Court trial. He was also found guilty of possession of a firearm. Bogaert was charged with attempting to shoot Michelle Haskin, 26, of Grayling, in the lobby of the Chief Shoppenagons Hotel. Haskin was able to place her left hand between the hammer and firing pin of a .44 caliber revolver held by Bogaert, causing the gun to misfire.

County Prosecutor John Huss said the firearm charge carries a mandatory 2 year prison term and the attempted murder charge carries a maximum sentence of life imprisonment. Sentencing will be held at a later date. The jury trial ended Monday, May 22, and was conducted by Judge William Porter.

Nine Injured Riding In Back of Pickup

Troy Cleveland, 18, of Portage, was arrested for operating a vehicle while under the influence of liquor (O.U.I.L.), following a single car accident that sent nine of his passengers to the hospital.

Cleveland was driving eastbound on Beaver Road in Camp Grayling, last Thursday, May 18, when he lost control on a curve, striking the guard rail and then slamming into a closed gate. All nine passengers were thrown from the back of Cleveland's pickup when it hit the gate.

The accident victims, from nine different cities in Michigan, were transported to Mercy Hospital by four ambulances from Crawford County, Frederic Township and Northern E.M.S.

Besides the O.U.I.L. charge, the Crawford County Sheriff Dept. cited Cleveland for not using his seatbelt.

Legion Post 106 Leads Memorial Day Services

Memorial Day services will be conducted by Grayling American Legion Post 106 on Monday, May 29, from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the Grayling Elmwood Cemetery. If any other group, organization, or person wishes to have a part in the program, please contact Post #106 at 348-7232.

The Grayling High School Band will open the program at 9:30 with a few selections. John Keir, Post 106 Commander, will welcome those in attendance at 10:00 a.m. Post Chaplain Leo Hirvela will give the invocation followed by a short address.

A color guard and firing squad representing the Michigan National Guard and the American Legion under the direction of CSM Harold Golnick will add to the program.

Grayling Fish Hatchery Opens Seventh Season

Despite the rainy weather, the Grayling Fish Hatchery opened for its seventh season on Saturday, May 20th.

Manager, Howard Hatfield, laughed and said, "Wouldn't you know it! It's been a dry spring until the day we open," he said, "and then the skies open up."

The damp weather held attendance to 629 visitors.

The Grayling Fish Hatchery is open seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and will have 32,000 fish in its raceways this summer. Admission is free.

Leave Wild Animals Alone, DNR Cautions

DNR Conservation officers are urging Crawford County visitors and residents to leave young wild animals alone. Usually during Memorial weekend, well-meaning people will pick up a fawn who looks lost. DNR officers say that often the fawn's mother is nearby waiting for the people to leave. Even if an animal's mother appears to be gone or dead, DNR officers urge people to call the local DNR field office instead of picking up the animal.

"Either Camp Grayling is the cleanest operation in the state," said Dr. William Cooper, MSU zoologist and environmentalist, "or the DNR is just not looking very good."

Cooper stated that to his knowledge, Camp Grayling is the only military installation in Michigan that has not been cited for environmental violations by the Environmental Protection Agency.

"I see Camp Grayling going from a place where the Michigan National Guard trains to a national or regular Army fort," said Dr. Robert Unsworth. "The time has come where I think they have to go someplace else, or go back to what the camp was originally developed for."

"I think this EIS should be checked to see if the cancer causing hydrocarbons and the cancer causing nitrosamines (that are by-products of exploding shells) are identified as to where they are, what happens to them and what the probability is of their movement into your water supply," said Dr. Nat Rowe, pathologist.

These sentiments, and many other criticisms were lobbed at the draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) developed for Camp Grayling's proposed expansion. More than 150 persons attended the public hearing on the EIS last Wednesday, May 17, at the GHS Joseph Stripe Auditorium. About 40 persons filled out cards requesting to speak during the hearing. The public hearing took about three hours, and during that time only one voice spoke in favor of the expansion project, and only the experts hired by the AuSable Manistee Action Council (AMAC) and Trout Unlimited admitted to understanding the lengthy document.

Dr. Glenn Goff, Vital Resource Consulting, retained by AMAC, said his consulting firm has put together a team of experts to review the EIS consisting of Don Richards, administrative manager of the project; George Hamperman, engineer and an expert on acoustics and noise; Dr. Dan Talhelm, Resource Econometrics; and Dr. Wm. Cooper.

Goff said the EIS assumes that the 50,000 acres on which the proposed expansion would occur are under the complete control of the Department of Military Affairs (DMA). He said for a large portion of the land to be used for the proposed expansion this assumption is not valid.

"Careful reading of the lease agreement between the DNR and the DMA reveals that only limited rights were transferred to the DMA," said Goff.

According to Goff the terms of the lease state: "...authority to use said lands for military purposes in the same manner and to the same extent as is now exercised on and over the Hanson State Military Reservation."

Goff stated that the first lease was drafted in 1948 and renewed in 1978 to the then current technology and levels of use. He said that neither the Camp Grayling master plan nor the EIS makes mention of this restriction.

Dr. Dan Talhelm said by making use of public land undesirable, because of noise, traffic or other interferences, the National Guard is in effect restricting the use of public lands beyond its restricted use permit.

"These impacts could be so great, that recreational values would be reduced to near zero," Talhelm said.

DNR INVOLVED

"The DNR is going to be responsible for making sure if Camp Grayling is expanded, both in terms of size and in terms of winter operations, you get a Cadillac and not a Volkswagen," stated Dr. Cooper. "The Kirtland Warbler, the AuSable River and the Hartwick Pines State Park all require that if you do it, you do it first class."

"If you want to enforce environmental standards," stated Dr. Cooper, "make sure that whatever is agreed to is incorporated into DNR permits. If it is not imbedded in a permit, nobody is going to monitor the effects. If they are verbal statements," he warned, "forget it."

Dr. Rowe, a pathologist and a decorated civilian consultant with the Army, said that as a pathologist it is his job to find out what causes cancer. He said he had one question and one comment.

"If it requires nitrogen in the compound to explode shells, what happens to the nitrogen at the time of the explosion and thereafter?" he asked.

NITROSAMINES

Dr. Rowe said that these compounds combine to make nitrosamines which cause cancer in incredibly tiny particles. He said that the Environmental Protection Agency limits the amount of nitrosamines in baby bottle nipples to 10 parts per billion.

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KIRKUM WINS STATE HONOR — Angela Kirkum of Grayling receives a commemorative clock/weather station and a certificate for a trip to Hawaii from Ernie Harwell as winner of the Concerned Citizen of the Year Award from Citizens Insurance Company.

GHS Band Participates In State Jazz Festival

The Grayling High School Jazz Ensemble performed in the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association's annual Regional Jazz Festival for the first time since its inception three years ago.

The Jazz Festival, which was held on April 22 at Roscommon High School, is structured differently from the regular band and orchestra festivals. Normally, bands are classified by school size and then compete in a district festival. If

they receive the highest ranking (I), they proceed to state-level competition.

The jazz festivals, however, are unclassified, with AA schools performing along with Class D ensembles. Four judges rate each group, with only the three performance judges' evaluations used for rating purposes. The sight reading judge works with the band in a mini-clinic. As well as performing their prepared selections, jazz ensembles are required

to improvise or compose music on the spot.

GHS earned a II ranking in an evaluation system which goes from I (superior) to V (unsatisfactory).

Director Dennie Ormsbee said he regards the II as "very respectable

for the first showing at a jazz festival."

The GHS Jazz Ensemble performed for the public at the annual Springtime in the Arts Program in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium on Wednesday, May 10.



GHS JAZZ BAND — 1st row: Jordan Stancil, Lee (Bob) Johnson, Chad Ormsbee, Andy Burkley, Truman Potter, Tammy Fenton, Adam Anger, Chris Halstead, Karen Febeay. 2nd row: Jon Renaud, Scott Hartman, Dave Teddy, Matt Branch, Dana Mirate, Josh Woodland, John DeVries, Paul Baker, Jamie Petrie, Kevin Austin.

Kirkum's Volunteer Work Earns Trip to Hawaii

Angela Kirkum of Grayling travelled to Lansing this week. So did Kate Bennett of Hastings. This morning, both women learned that their trips to the state capital are just the first part of a journey that will take them to Hawaii for a one-week vacation-for-two.

In a special awards ceremony held today at the Radisson Hotel in conjunction with Senior Power Day, Kirkum and Bennett were named statewide winners (for

1988) in the Concerned Citizens Awards program sponsored by Citizens Insurance Company. In naming Kirkum "Concerned Citizen of the Year" and Bennett "Concerned Neighbor of the Year," Citizens presented each of the women with a commemorative award and a certificate for a vacation in Hawaii.

The awards program is designed to recognize senior citizens in

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Small Fires Strike, County Woods Still Dry

The DNR, Beaver Creek, and Grayling City and Township fire departments extinguished two small fires on Wakeley Bridge Road and Dort Road on Sunday, May 21.

Duane Brooks, DNR fire officer, said that the Wakeley Bridge fire was started by an electrical shortage caused by a power pole failure. The fire was contained to 1/10 of an acre. The Dort Road fire burned about 1 1/2 acres, and Brooks speculated the fire was started by children playing with matches.

Brooks said even though the county has experienced some rainfall, total rainfall is still about three inches below normal, and the forests are still very dry.

"Last Sunday's warm winds really dried things up," he said. "Conditions are still not safe."

Last Friday, May 19, the DNR and Beaver Creek fire departments put out a fire in Beaver Creek Township that burned 2/10 of an acre and endangered several buildings. Brooks said the fire was started by a resident burning tent caterpillars. Debris from the burning webs and worms fell to the ground, igniting the fire. Brooks cautioned residents against this method of pest control.

Burning permits are being issued by the DNR on a day-to-day basis.

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"I suspect that this stuff is going to be on the ground when it (nitro-samines) is made," he said, "and you won't find it in your water. But," Rowe said, "after a time, when you turn on the faucet, and you think you are getting fresh, clean water, you will be causing cancer in your gut and in your liver."

Rowe said that when that happens, it will be too late, either for the residents of Crawford County or their water supply.

Rowe concluded by saying we have all witnessed the dumping of oil in Alaska. He said in his opinion it was not the fault of the captain of the vessel, but rather the greed that motivated responsible persons to ignore the possibility of tragedy.

"Let's stop tragedy in Grayling," he said.

Edward Van Guten, a township attorney for 19 years, stated the EIS says there are no local and state regulation governing military activities.

"Township officials and the Board of County Commissioners have the authority to pass those types of regulations," he said, "and if they are not there, it is your fault."

"The day the National Guard stops its shooting and the bombing in Crawford County," Guten said, "Crawford County will begin a new and enlarged economic life. I urge you to do so."

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"I love the term government money," Unsworth said. "The government hasn't got any money! The government confiscates our tax dollars and they spend it. We pay the freight," he said, "and nobody listens to us."

SEWAGE

Don Welser, a Crawford County resident, said the EIS proposes to build five 100 person barracks and two 200 person B.O.Q.s on the airport for 800 aviation persons at a cost of \$4 1/2 million.

"EIS talks about the sewage for the main containment area, but

they don't talk about any sewage facility out at the airport," said Welser. "Nine hundred people create quite a sewage problem," he said, "and the city of Grayling cannot handle 800 people on their facility, and that is what the airport is on now."

SUPPORTS EXPANSION

Henry Mason, of Livingston Township in Otsego County, and the only person to support the expansion, said that he gets a sense of security knowing there are people in the state who are willing to train in the use of the weapons of war. He called the EIS a trap because it offers people an opportunity to put personal desires above maintaining a good defense system.

Tom Baird, attorney in Ingham County, representing Trout Unlimited, said the EIS contains gross oversimplifications such as: the social consequences in terms of crime and trespass, the fact that only Grayling was discussed in the economic impact section, and completely disregards Camp Grayling's impact on Kalkaska and Otsego counties, and the omission of any discussion on the adverse economic impacts of Camp Grayling on the affected areas. Baird said the EIS completely ignores the different health hazards that have been discussed.

In short, Baird said the EIS was "thin in all respects except inches."

Rusty Gates, a Crawford County resident and president of the Anglers of the AuSable, said his organization of more than 700 members supports AMAC and Trout Unlimited's opposition to any expansion of the Camp Grayling facility.

With the exception of the AMAC experts from Vital Resources Consulting, all the speakers who voiced concerns regarding the accuracy and thoroughness of the draft EIS, and in opposition to Camp Grayling's proposed expansion, were property owners living full or part-time in the areas affected by the Camp Grayling proposed expansion.

The draft EIS was developed by E.A. Hickok and Associates, a division of James M. Montgomery, Consulting Engineers, Inc. Judd Ebersviller, a representative of Hickok, conducted the hearing.

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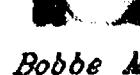
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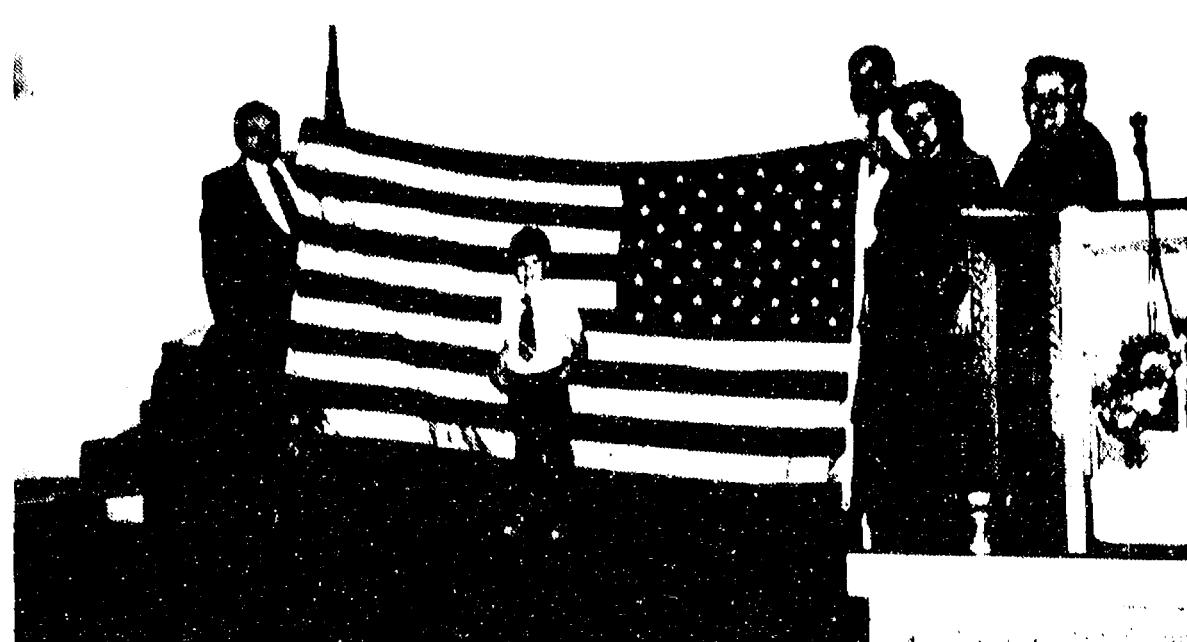
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VFW AUXILIARY PRESENTS FLAG — Lillian King, president, and Lou-Ann Crosby, Americanism chairperson, of the Carl W. Borchers Post #3736 presented Chase Barnett, a kindergarten student at the Calvary Baptist Academy, with a new flag for his school. Also pictured is Rev. Robert Barnett, and Mike Corlew, school supt.

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Michigan who have contributed outstanding service to their community or neighborhood. Kirkum and Bennett were selected from among hundreds of nominees statewide. Earlier this year, they were named regional award winners in the Northern Lower Michigan and Western Michigan regions, respectively.

The awards were presented by Ernie Harwell, radio announcer for the Detroit Tigers and advertising spokesperson for Citizens, and Patrick Coffey, assistant vice president of marketing at Citizens Insurance Company, headquartered in Howell, Michigan.

"Angela Kirkum and Kate Bennett have devoted literally hundreds of hours of service to their communities," said Coffey. "These awards and the entire program allow us to recognize the many contributions being made throughout the state by a substantial number of energetic and civic-minded senior citizens."

Kirkum, 89, performs volunteer work at an elementary school, her church, an extended care facility, a hospital and the local senior center. She is a member of RSVP and AARP, organizations for retired persons.

She is an active member of the Ladies Auxiliary at Grayling Mercy Hospital, where she works as a volunteer two days a week. Kirkum helps with patient care at the Grayling Extended Care Facility. As a member of the St. Mary's Catholic Women's Club, she has helped with many of the church's special events and fund-raising projects. In 1988, Kirkum organized a formal car wash as a fund-raising event for the Grayling Lioness Club. Dressed in formal gowns, Lioness club members washed cars to raise money for local and state civic programs.

"Angela is a real inspiration to all who know her," said Mary Prause of Grayling, who nominated Kirkum for the Concerned Citizens Award.



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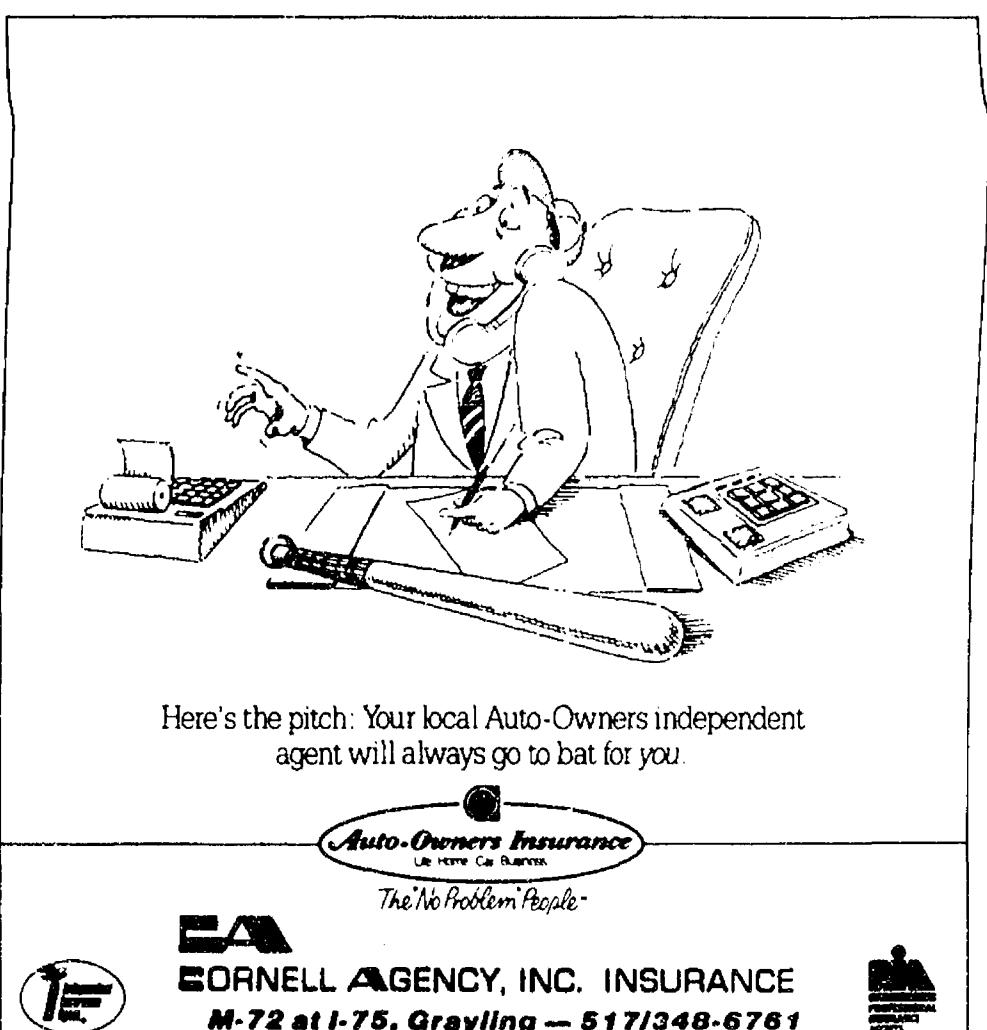
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Any Crawford County youth between the ages of 18 and 21 are eligible to apply for summer employment on soil and water conservation projects throughout the county. Call 275-5231 or apply at 408 Lake Street, Roscommon. This is an excellent opportunity to work outdoors and get acquainted with our natural resources.

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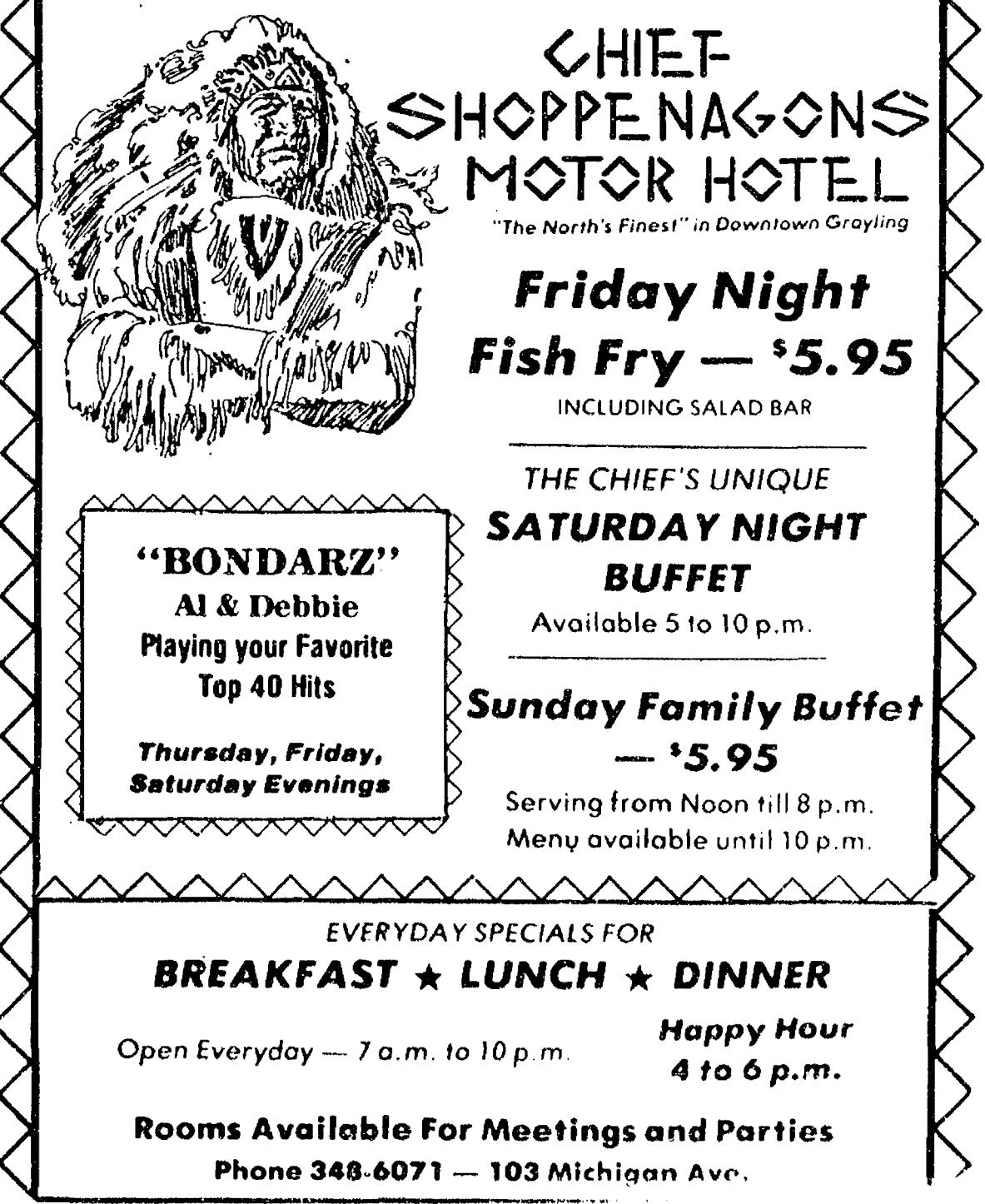
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Opinions

Northern Views

By Jon Thompson
Avalanche Editor

I wonder what our children will remember about growing up in Grayling years from now?

Reading Joe Murphy's memories of Frederic and Grayling made me realize how many things have changed for children here, especially in the last 25 years.

There are no more Henig's field or Madsen's field baseball games, no basketball games at Penrod's court, no toboggan rides at Bear Mountain, no ropes to swing over the river at Penrod's, Kelly's, or the city park, no Moshier's coal barn to play in.

The Fred Bear Museum is gone as well as the Polyhedron. The South Side school has been torn down and the old high school gym (now the middle school gym) actually has solid doors that keep kids from sneaking in after hours to play basketball.

Dawson's is still here as a gathering place but Bob's Drive-In is gone and so is Dad Hanson's.

The fish hatchery has returned after being closed many years. Hartwick Pines has an asphalt path running through it to the logging camp but many other things are



still the same out among the tall pines.

The AuSable River and Lake Margrethe are still here, although both are much more built up and busy. Several river places such as the old trestle, the old beach by the courthouse, and the place across from the old fish hatchery are private lands or not available to kids. The two sand hills are still at Lake Margrethe but several former swimming places -- which used to have a firm sandy bottom -- now have weeds and soft muck.

Everyone treasures their own memories, regards them as special. That's the way it should be.

A lot has changed since we were kids here and there aren't as many woods, places for children to play, or wild places to explore.

Our children need safe places to play, basic recreational facilities such as a ballfield, and some special places to explore. Passing the Hanson Hills millage was a good sign that we're trying to keep enough places left for our children.

I hope their memories of growing up in Grayling can be as special as the kids who went before them.



Almanack

By Richard Milliman
Avalanche President

Lucas deserves civil rights job

MICHIGAN'S BILL LUCAS is getting a bum rap in some sections of the national political scene.

Mr. Lucas is the former Wayne County sheriff and administrator who deserted the Democratic Party to become a Republican to run for governor of Michigan three years ago. He lost big to sitting Gov. James Blanchard.

The whole Lucas scenario didn't set too well with Democrats, both in Michigan and nationally.

Rumors had it that Mr. Lucas would be offered a cushy job in the Reagan Administration. He wasn't. Instead, he spent some time at the Kennedy Institute of Politics at Harvard University, then threw his shoulder into national Republican efforts and helped George Bush in the 1988 presidential campaign. One of his roles was to try to attract blacks and other minorities to the Republican cause.

Now Mr. Lucas has been offered the job as assistant attorney general for civil rights. He would be only the second black to hold the post; still his selection by the Bush team has not met with universal approval.

AS A MATTER OF FACT, the Lucas selection has created some interesting alignments.

The Detroit NAACP and the national NAACP are both publicly opposed to Mr. Lucas. So is the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, and several Michigan Labor Leaders.

But the Detroit Urban League backs him, as does U.S. Rep. John Conyers of Detroit. Support also has been voiced by such other prominent black leaders as the Rev. Jesse Jackson and the Rev. Joseph Lowery of the Southern Christian Leadership Council.

Perhaps most important, both President Bush and Atty. Gen. Dick Thornburgh are staying with their nominee.

THE BIGGEST GRIPE against Mr. Lucas seems to be that his experience as an attorney is limited, especially for someone who will become the nation's chief enforcer of civil rights laws.

That's a point. Mr. Lucas is a law school graduate, and spent a few months in the attorney general's office in Washington in a low level non-trial job. Then he went into the FBI for a career, until he decided to run for sheriff of Wayne County

as a Democrat, then was elected again as a Democrat as Wayne County's first County Administrator. Mr. Lucas's Republican conversion and run for governor followed.

Not too much legal experience there. But should that disqualify Mr. Lucas from becoming assistant attorney general? His detractors publicly say yes.

Similar concerns didn't keep Bobby Kennedy from becoming attorney general; of course, the situations are different, and Bill Lucas is no Bobby Kennedy.

Lucas backers also point out that four of the 10 previous holders of the civil rights post had tried five or fewer federal cases before being appointed.

IT'S A BUM RAP to claim Bill Lucas is not qualified for this job because of experience. Anyone who has worked his way out of the New York ghetto and into the national prominence -- such as Bill Lucas has done -- certainly appears fit to look out for the civil rights interests of this nation.

The real reasons for the opposition to Bill Lucas -- although they rarely are cited out in the open -- appear to be that (1) Bill Lucas has not been a radical in his pursuit of civil rights and justice, but rather has pursued a quieter, calmer, more rational approach; and (2) he decided to quit being a Democrat and become a Republican.

Neither is cause enough to turn down this appointment. There may be other arguable reasons to question Mr. Lucas' appointment, but not on experience, nor on those two silent reasons.

ANOTHER LUCAS FOE is People for the American Way, a liberal cross-section group which marshaled the opposition to appointment of Robert Bork to the Supreme Court.

The group spent \$600,000 for ads to help defeat Mr. Bork, but doesn't expect the Lucas campaign to be as intense nor as bitter. President Arthur Kropp said his organization hasn't quite decided what form its opposition will take.

Here's a suggestion. Maybe they ought to stage a sit-in in the lobby of the Justice Department headquarters, or even the Capitol rotunda, until Lucas loses.

The building sit-in seems to be in vogue these days -- at least it is here in Michigan.

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Letters to the Editor



Count Him Out Of The Annual Porcupine Shoot

The second annual porcupine shootin Crawford County in my opinion is a farce. Activities like this just give fuel to the anti-hunting movement in this country. Let's not forget "The Guns of Autumn" movie we all had rubbed in our face a few years ago.

Not one person I have shown the attached advertisement to has thought it was the type of recreation any genuine sportsman would even think of taking part in.

I also note that no mention of the second annual porcupine barbecue was made, so I assume that the trophies will be deposited in a dumpster some place close to the weigh-in station.

I'm not part of the anti-hunting movement. I've been a licensed Michigan

hunter since childhood and also a member of an Archery Club. I've traveled to many archery clubs in southern Michigan, a few in Ohio and one in Indiana, to compete in their events; always bowhunting target shots.

Just because it may be legal doesn't make it right to use a living creature as a target, to improve your marksmanship. I'm not sure, but if today's sportsman's ethics accept this behavior then count me out, I don't want to be seen in their company afield or anywhere else.

Donald N. Hancock
Wayne Co. res.,
Crawford County
property owner

P.S. Don't invite me to the first annual Sparrow Shoot either if allowed it would also be "legal".

Guest Column

Do You Remember?

By Gene Leader, Dearborn

Hello! Remember me? Some call me Old Glory, others call me Stars and Stripes. I have also been referred to as the Star Spangled Banner. But whatever they call me, I am your Flag of the United States of America. There is something bothering me, so I thought that I might talk it over with you.

I remember some time ago. I think it was Memorial Day - people were lined up on both sides of the street to watch the parade. A High School band was leading the parade. When your Daddy saw me coming along waving in the breeze, he immediately removed his hat and placed it against his left shoulder so that his hand was directly over his heart. And you - I remember you. Standing there as straight as a soldier, you didn't have any hat, but you were giving the right salute.

But now I don't feel as proud as I used to feel.

When I come down your street, some people just stand there with their hands in their pockets and give me a small glance and then look away. Then I see children running around and shouting. They don't seem to know who I am.

Is it a sin to be patriotic anymore? Have some people forgotten what I stand for? Have they forgotten all the Battlefields where men fought and died to keep this nation Free? When you salute, you are actually saluting them.

Take a look at the Memorial Honor Rolls some time. Look at the names of those who never came back. Some of them were friends or relatives of yours. That's whom you are saluting. NOT ME!

Well, it won't be long until I will be coming down your street again. So, when you see me, stand straight, place your hand over your heart, and you will really see me waving back - My salute to YOU, and then I will know that you REMEMBER.

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Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy



when you needed a pat on the back or a swat on the butt. The great folks that lived in Frederic in those days bring forth many wonderful memories. Oscar and Almira Smock were our next door neighbors and two finer folks I've yet to see. Oscar had a rough and gruff exterior with a heart of gold beneath it. Almira who we always called Mammie was a wonderful kind lady. They had several grand kids of their own but could always find time for others. I remember spending many evenings listening to Jimmy Rogers singing those great old songs like The Wreck Of Old 97 or Waiting For a Train on their old Victrola. They have been gone for many years but both are still alive and smiling in my memories.

We sure are having a lousy spring. Today the 7th of May it is cold and I just saw some snow flakes in the air. It just don't seem to want to warm up. We have not had many nice days for this late in the spring. But in a month we will be praying for cooler weather.

I have not been getting much response from you old timers. Please give me a call so I can get your stories of the old days on record. I know you have many stories to tell that folks would like to hear. Give me a call 348-8308.

Notes from the Woods

By Nancy Lemmen
Avalanche Columnist



visited, she brought us a homemade angel food cake with orange or lemon icing. At night she would sit on the couch and we would take turns lying across her lap. With her long, thin, lovely fingers, she would rub our backs and pat our arms.

Upon hearing of the man's death, one of his grandsons announced sadly: Grandpa B. died. But at least we have one grandpa left. And he's a nice one.

For awhile you have him, I wanted to tell the child, who is my nephew. With luck, you will have him for a few more years. And you have your grandmothers, too -- for a while.

But you will spend the majority of your life without them. So now is the time to begin storing up those memories that will keep your grandparents alive and with you until the days when you have grandchildren of your own.

I was very lucky. I knew all four of my grandparents. I had them throughout my childhood and into early adulthood. Having and knowing them was one of the greatest gifts I have ever been given.

Grandpa Stodola died first, when I was a junior in college. A first generation American, he moved from Bohemia to the United States as a child and always spoke with a distinctive accent. I thought he sounded sort of gruff, but he always treated me kindly.

We visited Grandma and him on their farm once every summer when we were children. He almost always wore a light blue workshirt and dark blue overalls. I followed him to the barn and the fields when he did chores and he gave me rides in his wheelbarrow. He let me try to milk the cow, and I remember crying once when her tail swatted me in the eyes.

He built us grandchildren a swing that hung from the big maple tree in his front yard. Sometimes, at family gatherings, he would take out his accordian and play old songs for us.

He talked little, and after his stroke, I never heard him speak again. My father looks like him, and my Uncle Bob even more. I look like my dad, so there must be something of Grandpa in me, too.

Grandma Wagner died next, when I worked at Alma College. She was a lady in the finest sense. I used to watch her sit at her mirror as she combed her long, straight hair, then twisted it expertly around her fingers and pinned it up. When she went downstairs, I would explore her bureau, dabbing on her perfumes and trying on her rhinestone necklaces and earrings.

She had a fine, gentle sense of humor. Once, I spilled milk on the floor immediately after she had washed and waxed it. That's all right, honey, she said. My grandma told me that milk makes a floor shine. She loved lilacs and never wore slacks.

Every time she and Grandpa

visited, she would cook and bake on her wood stove when we visited. I would go with her to feed the chickens and gather the eggs, which I carefully placed on a shelf in her walk-in pantry. I still am transported back to the farm by the smell of the cracked corn I put out for the birds in the winter.

A cheerful woman, she never complained once about the various adversities that had faced her through the years of rearing eight children and finally caring for an ill husband.

I have a photo of her on her wedding day. I think that I look a bit like her, the Czechoslovakian daughter of immigrants to the American Midwest, staring somberly at the photographer's camera.

She gardened in her final summer and she baked bread in her final days. She died simply, as she had lived.

So, I want to tell my nephew. Save your memories; guard them well. Then they will last you a lifetime. Then you will always have your grandparents. And because you are lucky -- as I was -- they will be very nice memories.

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP NOTICE

White goods pickup

There will be a SPECIAL PICKUP OF WHITE GOODS for Lovells Township residents and taxpayers Only on Saturday, May 27 from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Sunday, May 28 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and Monday, May 29 from 8:00 a.m. to noon at dump sites #1 and #2. This is for HOUSEHOLD WHITE GOODS ONLY. No car parts, boats, tires, building materials, leaves, brush, etc.

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Dump permits are available at the Township Offices any Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Cheryl L. Hupp, Clerk

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A Look At Our Past

23 Years Ago
May 26, 1966

Larry Hunter graduated Thursday, May 19th, with the first class of tax-assessors ever to be graduated from any college or university in exercises held at Michigan Technological University, Houghton, Michigan. Before attending Michigan Tech, Larry spent two years at Northwestern Michigan College in Traverse City. He will hold the position of Crawford County Equalization Director beginning June 1st. Attending the graduation were Larry's parents, the Lawrence Hunters with Mary Kay and John.

The Bob Strongs of Alpena stopped at the Walter Mikesell home Sunday evening enroute home from a visit to Okemos with her sister the Dr. Richard Kleins and at Marshall with his sister the Robert Luters.

Robin Lynn is the baby daughter born to the Richard Yoders of Grayling May 11th. Mrs. Edna Canfield and Tim and Arthur, also her sister and niece made a trip to Minneapolis last week to visit the ladies' grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Ziebell spent the weekend in Midland with their daughter and family, the Roger Kessels, going to attend their granddaughter Lisa's first communion at St. Bridget's Church on Sunday.

The Swartz Creek Euchre Club numbering 26 spent Sunday with the Charlie Ficks, enjoying a potluck dinner and the sports car races in the afternoon.

Rotary Contest
Winners Named

Additional winners have been announced in the Grayling-Petoskey Rotary Calendar Contest. Those winning a \$50 prize include Jean Callewaert, Cliff Wheeler and Mark Horton.

46 Years Ago
May 27, 1943

Last Friday the children from the Maple Grove school went to Roscommon to see the picture entitled "Bambi."

Several folks from South Branch attended the baccalaureate services at the Roscommon church Sunday evening, also the commencement on Wednesday evening. The graduates from South Branch were June and Mary Jane Williams and Bobby Jensen and Roy Wehnes.

Carl Peterson, Frank Bond, Williard Cornell, Charles Long, Ernest Hoesli and Harold Troupe spent Sunday at Lake Charlevoix fishing for perch. They returned with a fine catch.

Miss Beatrice Peterson has completed her school year of teaching in Standish and has returned home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Peterson.

Miss Thelma Papendick has accepted a position with the Michigan Central railroad at Bay City and left Monday for that place.

Corp. Donald F. Corwin, who is serving with the 420th Armored Field Artillery battalion, Fort Benning, Ga., is enjoying a furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corwin.

Jerry Sherman is the new night watch at the Grayling Fish hatchery.

Walter Windiate was at his cabin on the AuSable over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffith of Fort Wayne, Indiana, are at their cabin on the AuSable.

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69 Years Ago
May 27, 1920

Mrs. J.T. Lamb of Bay City has been a guest of Mrs. A.M. Lewis and other Grayling friends.

Last week O.N. Michelson sold some 500

acres of land in sections 1 and 2 of Otsego Lake Cunard line May 22 for a three months tour through Italy, France and Switzerland.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Len Isenauer Tuesday, May 25th.

Mrs. Lee Seymour, formerly Miss Doris LaGrow of Lansing, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex LaGrow.

Mrs. Lucien Fournier formerly of Grayling and son Arthur of Los Angeles, Calif., are sail-

ing on the S.S. Corina Cunard line May 22 for a three months tour through Italy, France and Switzerland.

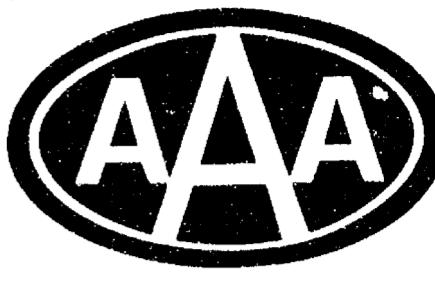
Walter Nadeau, night operator at the local Western Union Telegraph office, left Friday for Saginaw where he will wed Miss Eva Wilson of that place Monday morning. Nadeau will bring his bride to Grayling to reside.

Axel Peterson arrived home on Saturday from Dalden, Colo., where he has been attending a

Government Mining School.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fischer who have been

visiting their daughter, Mrs. A.R. Engler, returned to Grayling Friday.



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In remembrance of Brad Alma, who passed away three years ago.

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Weight watchers team won the team with the most members. They had 55 team

members. They were also the team with the most money collected bringing in a total of \$1964.01.

There was a total of 123 walkers registered. Among the 123 walkers, 10 were residents of The Meadows of Grayling. The 10 residents either walked or were pushed via wheelchair around the facility.

There were a total of 14 teams for the 5 mile

walk. Others that collected large amounts were Carolyn Mead with \$430.25 and Ken Irish with \$200.00. The teams with large amounts were Mercy Hospital \$959.67 and K mart with \$506.00. The total collected for the day was \$4956.12.

Breather's Club

Meets May 25

Mercy Breather's Club, a free support group for chronic obstructive pulmonary disease patients and their family members will meet Thursday, May 25 at 4:00 p.m. in Mercy Hospital/Grayling's Riverside Room.

Scott Kaatz, D.O., internist, will be this month's guest speaker. Dr. Kaatz will talk about "C.O.P.D. the Disease". He will address anatomy, causes, treatments, changes that occur because of the disease, and respond to questions from participants. Anyone interested is welcome to attend this two-hour session.

For more information or assistance in reaching the Riverside Room call Keitha Knepp, Cardiopulmonary Supervisor, at 348-5461, ext. 307.

Commission on Aging

Menu and Activities: Monday, May 29 - Memorial Day; center closed.

Tuesday, May 30: 1:00 - RSVP Cards; 3:00 - Kitchen Band; 4:30 - Salad Bar; 5:00 - Dinner (Hot Turkey Sandwich), 5:30 - Future Master Plans at Hartwick Pines by Park representative.

Wednesday, May 31: 10:00 - Quilting; 12:30 - Swimmercise; 1:00 - Stag Party; 5:00 - Birthday dinner (Hamburgers and Hash Browns).

Thursday, June 1: Foot Clinic, by appointment only; 5:00 - Dinner - (Scrambled eggs and sausage).

Friday, May 26: 11:30 - Frederic Satellite; 12:00 - Dinner (Stuffed Fish rolls).

Thank You
Thank you to our relatives, kind neighbors, and thoughtful friends, our heartfelt thanks for their many expressions of sympathy. The beautiful floral offerings were especially appreciated.

Frank Muth

The purpose of support groups is to offer support, insight, companionship and sharing to persons who have experienced a recent loss of a spouse, friend or family member. Many people who are going through or who have been through the experience of death develop tremendous gifts which enable them to help others.

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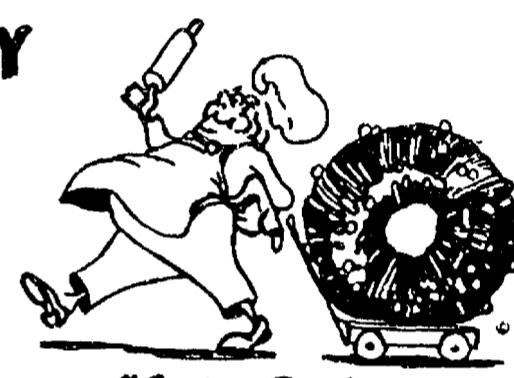
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348-5079**Bits of Talk**

By Fay Bovee
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Par for the Course

The Wednesday noon ladies' league started their season on May 10 with 36 present. Scrambles was the play. Coming in with a low of 38 was the team of Jo Powell, Marilyn Fick, Clara Beaufait, and Marti Nowak. Tied for second with 39's were the teams of Mary Sidwell, Shirley Parker, Evie Kent, Carol Thompson and Liz Vajda, Ricki Stahl, Caroline Glaza and Shirley Schonhoff. Lunch was prepared by the club staff.

On Wednesday, May 17, Carol Thompson had low gross of 44; Jo Powell and Treva McClellan had low nets of 35; and Rose Crawford with low puts of 14 all in "A" Flight. Rose also had a chip-in on #3.

"B" Flight winners were: low gross 52, Caroline Glaza; low net 34, also Caroline; and puts of 15, Mary Sidwell.

"C" Flight winners

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were: Pat Jackman and Lynda Hetrie with low gross of 55; Lynda also had low net of 28, and Shirley Parker and Lynda tied with low puts of 15.

"D" Flight low gross: Joyce Sorenson with 59, and also low net of 29. Low puts 15 was Dorothy Kaseman. Nancy Hoffman had a chip-in on #7 and Dorthea Carlson on #6. Thirty-four ladies enjoyed a very delicious salad luncheon.

Par Reza, M.D.,

is on temporary leave of absence.

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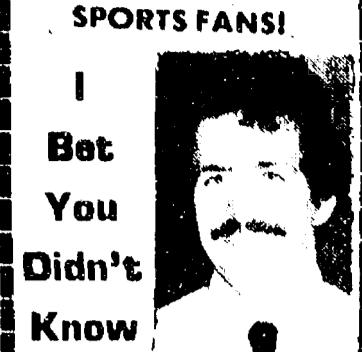
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Thurs., May 25, 1989

Weather Smiles On Pumpkin BumpBrought To You
By Bill Hart

Sales Representative

There's one baseball record that few fans appreciate — but the more you think about it the more amazing it becomes...That's the record for most games won by a pitcher in big league history, set by Cy Young, who won 511 games in his career in the early 1900s...Now to appreciate how hard it is to win 511 games, consider this: It's difficult for any pitcher to win 20 games in any one year; few pitchers ever win 20 games in 3 or 4 or 5 different seasons, but to win 511 games, as Cy Young did, you'd have to AVERAGE OVER 20 WINS A YEAR, EVERY YEAR FOR 25 YEARS!...That's why that's an amazing record and why no one else has ever come close.

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The make-up Pumpkin Bump was run successfully at Grayling Elementary School Thursday afternoon May 18, with all the children from grades 1 through 4 running an approximately 1 mile course.

The top 10 girls from each grade and the top 10 boys from each grade were awarded buttons to honor their achievement. Everyone who participated was a winner in promoting better physical

fitness as a lifelong goal said physical education instructor Kathryn Yatich. Parents were invited to join their children in the fun run.

The top runners were:

Top 10 girls, 3rd grade - Nicole Craigie, Stacy Pelton, Jamie McGuire, Jenny Cooper, Melissa Ostwald, Danielle McClain, Susan Dedafoe, Kristin MacKay, Liberty Galvani, and Carmen Romain.

4th Grade girls - Charissa Broeker, Debbie Schreiner, Cheryl McCurdy, Becky Pilon, Sharon Wicklund, Annie Beck, Heather Washburn, Colette Porter, Gretchen Ross, and Rachael Youngs.

Top 10 boys 3rd grade - Mike Harland, Jim Ober, Shane Piehl, Chris Ramsey, Louie Kehr, Jerry Roman, Matt Adkison, Dale Gaertner, Michael Chanton, Gordon Elsner.

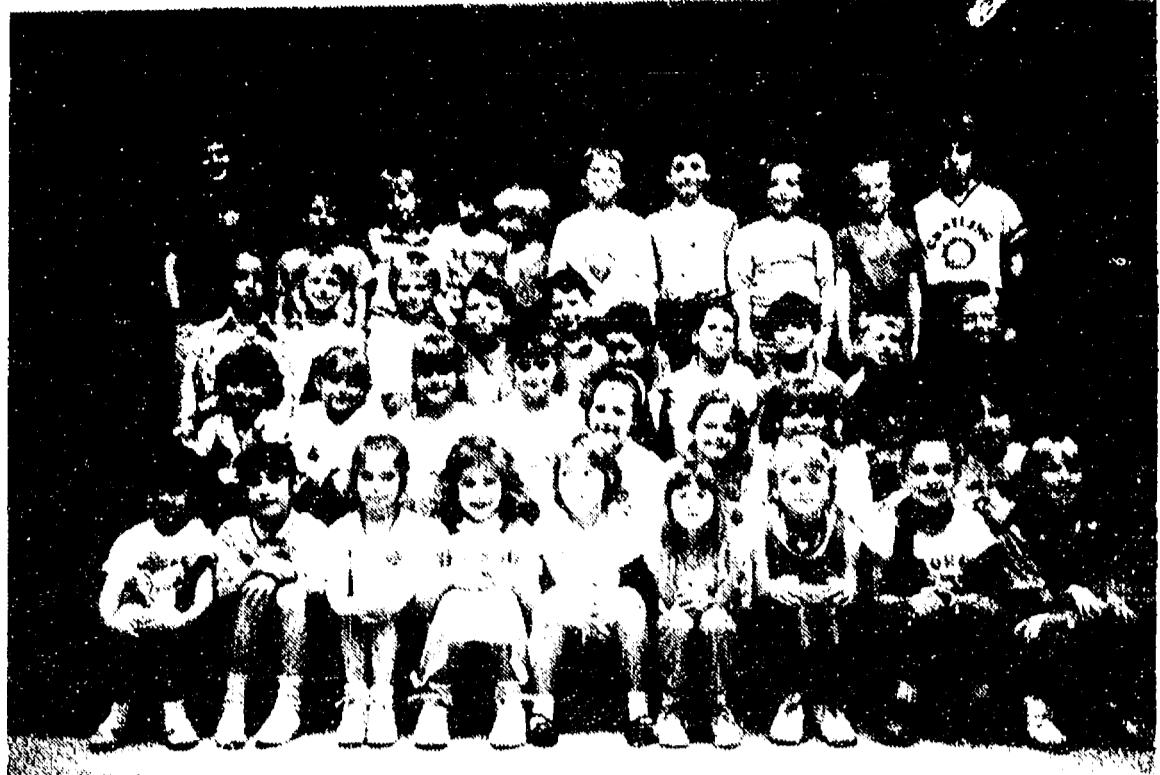
4th grade boys - Brooke Lawe, Josh Milton, David Sabin, Jason Steele, Brandon Rousseau, Ben Haskel, Jeff Hale Branch, Seth Madsen, Minard Harwood, Andy Radzwion, and David Rairick.

Top 10 Girls - Brooke Ginther, Tina Chontos, Michelle Tennant, Jessie Becks, Danielle Hammond, Erin McCarver, Mandy Trudgeon, Crystal Pilon, Mary Dobry, and Carrie Hatfield.

2nd Grade boys - Eric Thompson, Joshua Sheldon, Kevin Jansen, Jason Potter, Scott Bowers, Tristan Williams, Armand Lawrence, Jared Medler, Eric Hoffman, and Andy Wadsworth.

Top 10 girls - Melody McClain, Monica Rustra, Andrea Elmy, Meegan Walker, Andy Kolka, Danielle McClanahan, Karen Wyman, Crystal Otberg, Jessica Ferriagan, and Amy Price.

1st grade boys - John Herrick, Shawn Dushan, Aaron Campbell, Brian McCurdy, Kane Madsen, George Bielab, Adam Knapp, Gary Mott, Timmy Osborne, and Nathan Hinkle.



Top Ten 1st & 2nd Graders



Top Ten 3rd & 4th Graders

Births

Terri Drouillard of Grayling is proud to announce the arrival of Jessie Faye on May 12, 1989. Jessie weighed 8 lbs. 2 1/2 ozs.

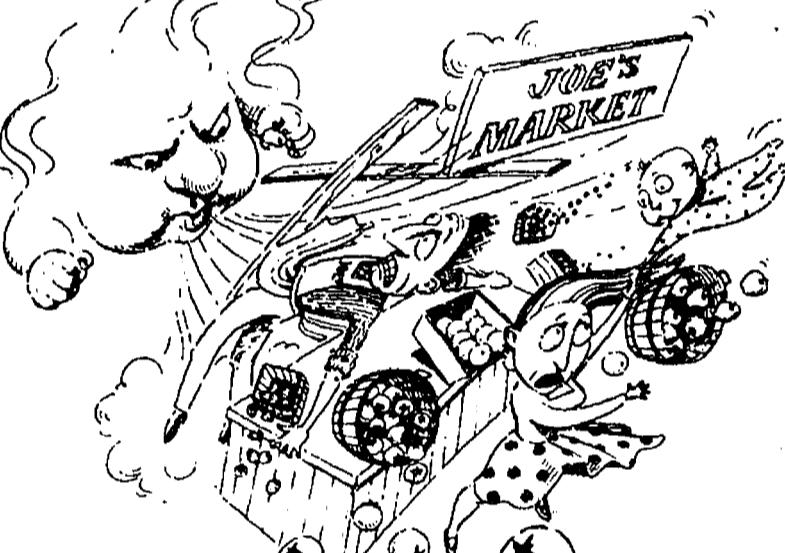
Bill and Vickie Hart of Grayling are proud to announce the arrival of Andrew James on May 12, 1989. Andrew weighed 9 lbs. 1 oz.

Dr. Kevin and Mrs. Annette Rucinski of Roscommon are proud to announce the arrival of Arielle Kathe on May 17, 1989. Arielle weighed 7 lbs. 10 1/2 ozs.

Paul and Christina Brackenbury of Grayling are proud to announce the arrival of Alex James on May 19, 1989. Alex weighed 8 lbs. 2 ozs.

Steven and Kathy Kaczor of Prudenville are proud to announce the arrival of Judy Mae on May 20, 1989. Judy weighed 6 lbs. 10 ozs.

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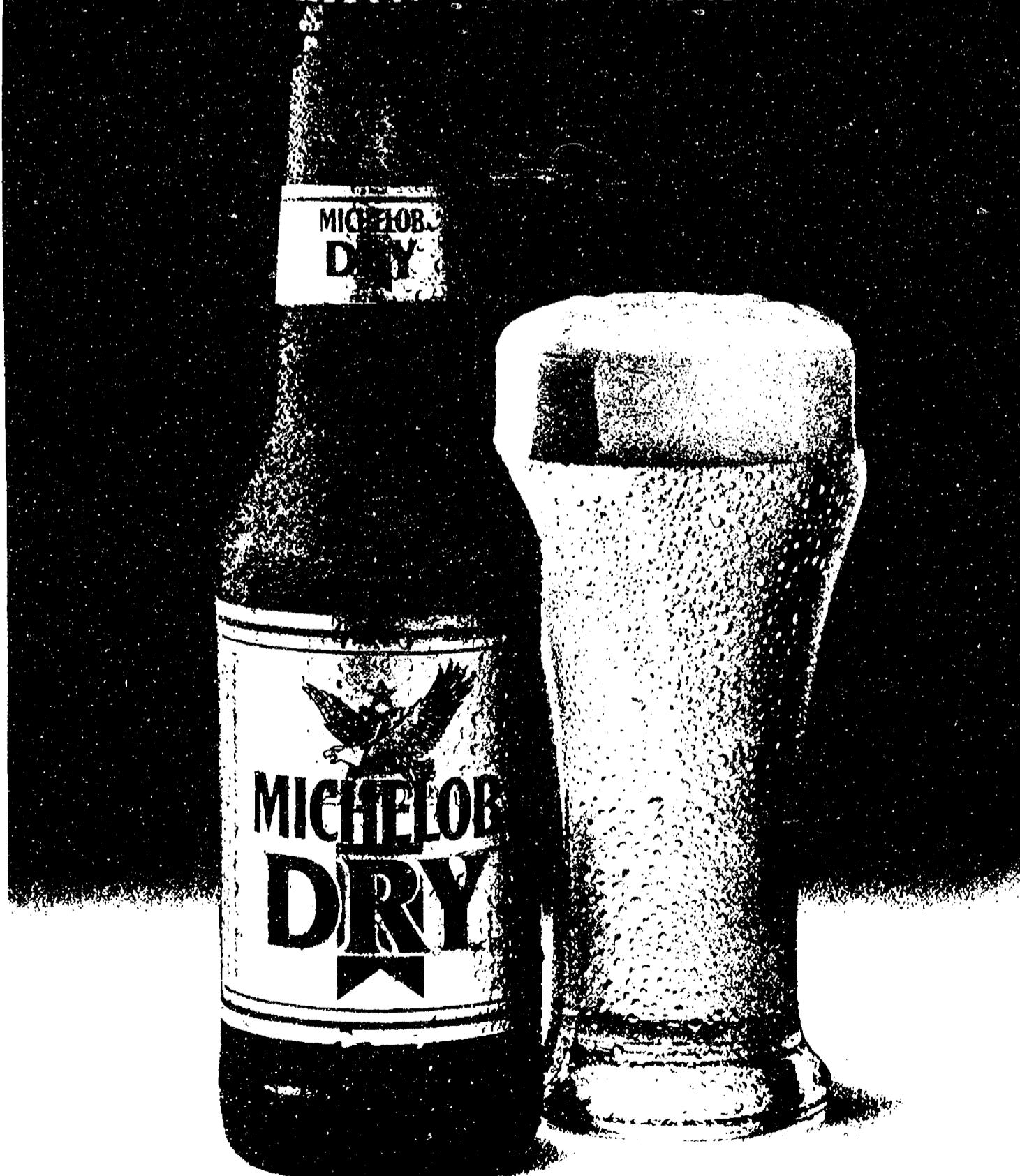
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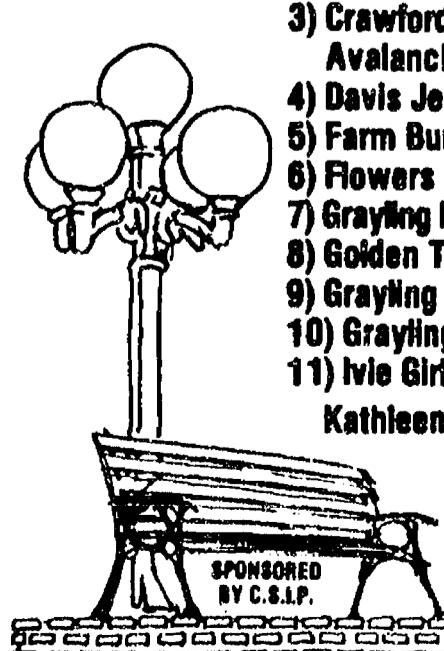
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Grayling Little League

Last week Minor League scores Tues., May 16th. Holiday Inn 7 - Rotary 8; K of C 19 - K&K Masonry 9. Thurs., May 18th, Mercy Hosp. 18 - Rochette's 8; Davis Jewelry 15 - Little Caesars 10.

Last week Major League scores Mon., May 15th, McDonald's 24 - R & H Sports 8; Gray. St. Bank 14 - Mac's Drug 8. Fri., May 19th, Weyerhaeuser 18 - R & H Sports 10. Sat., May 20th, Millikins 12 - Weyerhaeuser 11; McDonald's 6 - Gray. St. Bank 1.

Next week Minor League schedule: Tues., May 20th, Davis Jewelry vs. Rotary 5:15 p.m. Mercy Hospital vs. Little Caesars 7:15 p.m. Thurs., June 1st, Rochette's vs. K&K Masonry 5:15 p.m. Holiday Inn vs. Knights of Col. 7:15 p.m.

Next week Major League schedule: Mon., May 26th - No games scheduled due to holiday. Wed., May 31st, Mac's Drug vs. Weyerhaeuser 5:15 p.m.; McDonald's vs. Millikins 7:15 p.m.; Fri., June 2nd, Gray. St. Bank vs. R & H Sports 5:15 p.m. McDonald's vs. Mac's Druga 7:15 p.m.

Next week Senior League schedule: Tues., May 30th, Georgia Pacific vs. Roscommon #2 6:00 p.m., Mo vs. Kiwanis 6:00 p.m., Fairview vs. Am. Legion 6:00 p.m.; Thurs., June 1st, Kiwanis vs. Roscommon #2 6:00 p.m., Roscommon #1 vs. Georgia Pac. 6:00 p.m., Mo vs. Am. Legion 6:00 p.m.; Sat., June 3rd - Am. Legion vs. Roscommon #2 6:00 p.m., Roscommon #1 vs. Kiwanis 6:00 p.m.

Lovells News

By Ruth Cald
Our community was saddened by the death of Mrs. Marion Ogletree who passed away on Friday, May 19th. The Ogletrees' have a home on K.P. Lake and have many friends who extend their deepest sympathy to the family.

Mrs. Harriet Bollman is a patient at Northern Michigan Hospital, Petoskey. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery. A number of ladies of our community attended

the RSVP Recognition Dinner in West Branch on Friday.

Don't forget the Cheerful Givers Club Rummage and Quilt Sale at the town hall on Saturday, May 27 from 10:00 - 2:00.

A new book in the library is "While My Pretty One Sleeps" by Mary Higgins Clark.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
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The County of Crawford
PUBLICATION NOTICE
DECEASED ESTATE
Estate of George Phillip
Dunckley.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by this hearing.

TAKE NOTICE: On waived, in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. John G. Hunter Judge of Probate, a hearing was/will be held on the petition of Christopher Scott Dunckley requesting that Brian Carlyle Dunckley and Christopher Scott Dunckley be appointed Co-Personal representatives of George Phillip Dunckley who lived at Grayling, Michigan and who died March 13, 1989.

Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to both the personal representative and to the court on or before July 1, 1989. Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record.

Dated March 23, 1989
/s/ Brian Carlyle Dunckley
/s/ Christopher Scott
Dunckley

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PLAY BALL - Harry Miller, the first President of the Grayling Little League, threw out the first ball of the season and was honored for starting Little League baseball here.

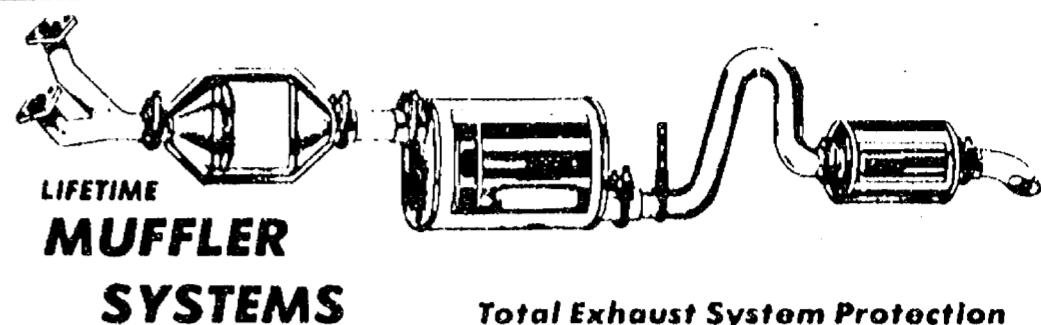
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TEACHERS OF THE YEAR — The Crawford AuSable Schools honored (L to R) Marilyn S. Stancil, Dennis J. Ormsbee, Judith P. Mesack and Peggy A. Emerick (not shown, Sharon Vergeldt) as the district's teachers of the year.



OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD — The Michigan National Guard, Crawford County Sheriff Dept., AuSable Ministerial Association, Youth Booster Club, Grayling Rotary Club, Grayling Kiwanis Club, Grayling Lions Club and the Hanson Hills Family Recreation Park were honored by the district. Pictured are: back row from left: Russ Shepard, Paul Lerg, Rev. Jeffrey Regan, Col. David (Skip) Hanson, front row: Scott Remsing, Tim Coe, and Tom Coors.



RETIREMENT AWARDS — (L-R) Howard Taylor retired after 24 years with the Crawford AuSable School District. During his tenure, Taylor taught vocal music and band, and worked as the Community School Director. Larry Wilson worked as a custodian for 16 years, mostly at the Grayling High School. Robert Wargo, worked for the district for 17 years as a bus driver, custodian and a mechanic's assistant in the bus garage. Each received a school bell in recognition of their years of service.



VOLUNTEERS-OF-THE-YEAR — Kathleen Pausa and Alice Miller were recognized for their volunteer service to the Grayling Elementary School's second grade classes.

46th Circuit

Appearing before the Hon. Alton T. Davis Monday, May 15:

Daren Andrew Laesch, age 21, of Grayling, was sentenced on a charge of Breaking and Entering a Building With Intent. He received 60 months probation, 9 months in the County jail with credit for 64 days served and shall successfully complete 90 days in a special program. He must also pay \$400 costs, \$550 attorney fees and full restitution.

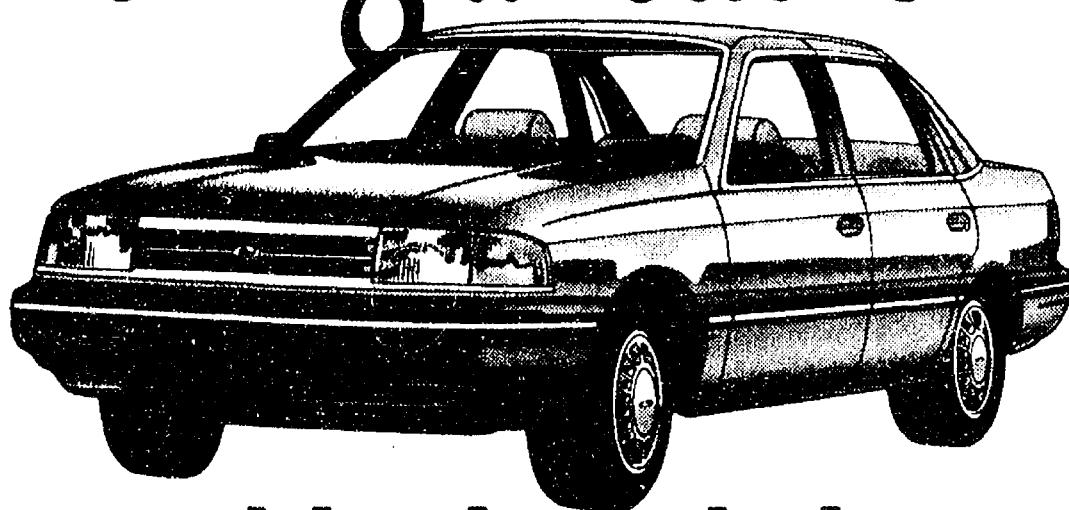
Laesch was arrested in March, 1989 following an investigation of several B & E's in Grayling Township.

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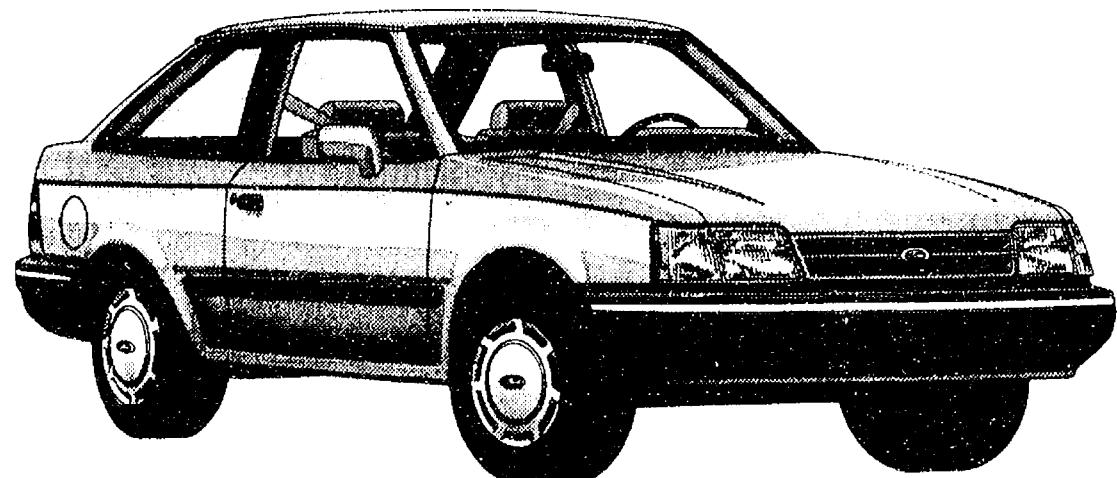
Gerald Thomas Jacklyn, age 39, formerly of Grayling, was sentenced on a charge of Receiving and Concealing Stolen Property Over \$100. He received 3 to 6 years with the Michigan Department of Corrections. He must also pay \$2,500 fine and \$300 restitution. He was also given 61 days credit for time served.

Jacklyn was arrested in February, 1988 by the Crawford County Sheriff Department following an investigation of a stolen 3 Wheel ORV. A jury trial was held in October, 1987 during which Jacklyn left and failed to return. The trial was continued without his presence and he was found guilty as charged on October 27, 1987. Jacklyn was arrested on a bench warrant in March, 1989.

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Obituaries

Roland C. Puffer

Roland C. Puffer, age 91, died May 21, 1989, at Wuesthoff Memorial Hospital, Rockledge, Florida. Mr. Puffer was born in Spencer, Michigan, on January 14, 1898, to William and Mary (Pierson) Puffer.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, May 30, at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church of Grayling at 2:30 p.m., with the Reverend Jeffery Regan officiating. Burial will be in the Oliver Township Cemetery in Kalkaska County. Visitation will take place at the Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, Grayling, on Monday, May 29, from 11 a.m. until 9 p.m.

Mr. Puffer was preceded in death by his first wife, Ethel (Mecum) in 1976 and by his second wife, Norma (McCarty), in 1987. Also preceding him in death were his sons, Loyd, in 1946, and Roland C. Jr., in 1979.

Survivors include, 2 daughters, Rowena Davenport, of Cocoa, Florida, and Gene Daniels, of Cocoa, Florida; 7 grandchildren: Barbara Brown, Tacoma, Washington; Larry Trowbridge, Midland, Michigan; Michael Puffer, Bay City, Michigan; Mary Wiley, Lincoln, Massachusetts; William Trowbridge, Cale-

Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church for 15 years as his last fulltime pastor. He was called to missions in Hawaii and Michigan City.

Mr. Puffer also served on the White House Conference in Education in Washington, D.C., during the Eisenhower administration, and was the author of "Pioneers of the Human Spirit" and several other books as well as numerous periodicals and publications.

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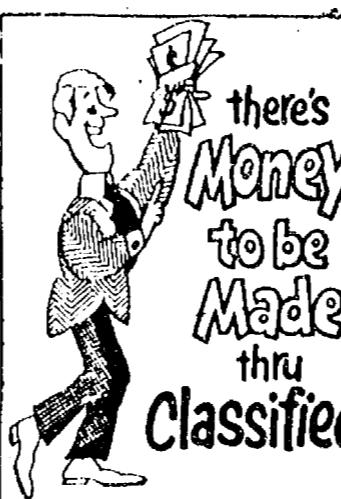
dona, Michigan; Doronda Wicker, Hartsville, South Carolina; David Cornwall, Dillingham, Alaska; 17 great grandchildren; and 4 great great grandchildren.

Trista Marie Hanson Trista Marie Hanson, newborn daughter of Curt and Janet Hanson, died Tuesday, May 16, 1989, at the Munson Medical Center in Traverse City.

She was born May 16, 1989, to Curt and Janet (Fouts) Hanson of Grayling; great-grandmothers: Francelia Hanson of Grayling and Gladys McLean of Alpena.

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Dear Fellow Community Members:

In March, Georgia-Pacific announced a proposal to expand its resin plant in Beaver Creek Township to include a formaldehyde manufacturing facility. Since that time, I have spoken to more than 350 people at 15 meetings. Most people have expressed support of Georgia-Pacific as a responsible company and a good corporate citizen of this community. I believe the company has shown great care for the environment and our quality of life here, demonstrated by our outstanding safety record.

We think it's important to discuss openly and honestly the facts about the proposed expansion. I have received many questions, and I wanted to take this opportunity to answer those asked most frequently so the entire community can benefit from the facts.

If I have not answered your questions, please contact me at the plant.

Sincerely,
Joe Newman, Manager
Beaver Creek Resin Plant

What is formaldehyde?

Formaldehyde is a simple chemical made of carbon, hydrogen and oxygen. It is manufactured by adding oxygen to methanol, commonly known as wood alcohol. Formaldehyde is naturally produced by the human body, and occurs naturally in plants and food. It is manufactured today for use in many products, including cosmetics, shampoo, antiperspirants, nail polish, vaccines, tire rubber and fertilizer. It also is used to bind dyes and pigments to fabrics, to put the "wrinkle free" into permanent press clothing, to put the "wet" strength in paper towels and to make adhesives for wood products. Nowhere is this chemical more important than in the wood products industry or, ultimately, more important to the average American homeowner. Without the availability of resins to glue layers of wood, the price of a home would skyrocket.

Why do you need to manufacture formaldehyde on site?

Currently, formaldehyde, which is 50 percent water, is shipped by rail to the Beaver Creek plant from suppliers as far away as Texas. In the three years we have operated here, formaldehyde costs have risen 55 percent.

How will the expansion benefit our community?

The \$10-million expansion will provide approximately six permanent jobs that pay good wages -- \$13-15 an hour including benefits -- as well as construction jobs; about \$500,000 annually in wages, taxes and purchases of goods and services; reinforcement for Weyerhaeuser's operation and our resin plant; and growth of supporting businesses, like the trucking companies that have benefited from the resin plant.

Is formaldehyde safe?

Yes. We have been using formaldehyde safely at the Beaver Creek resin facility since the plant began operation, and Georgia-Pacific has one of the best safety records in the industry today. The company has been manufacturing formaldehyde for more than 20 years at various locations, which amounts to almost 200 plant years of experience in safely handling this chemical.

What about scientific studies?

Formaldehyde has been the subject of more studies than perhaps any other chemical in use today. It has been found to cause cancer in some laboratory rats, but at exposure levels that no human would tolerate for even a second because of formaldehyde's pungent odor. More than 30 studies conducted with humans exposed to formaldehyde have been reviewed by a renowned panel of scientists. They concluded there is no convincing evidence that it causes cancer in humans.

Is formaldehyde regulated?

Yes. The Occupational Health and Safety Administration (OSHA) has set safe workplace levels of exposure at 1 part per million over a period of 8 hours a day, 40 hours a week, for 40 years. Formaldehyde levels in the manufacturing area of the proposed facility will be about 1/10th of the OSHA safe levels, and outside the facility, formaldehyde concentrations would be at least 7,000 times less than the safe levels established by OSHA.

Why do we need industrial growth?

The forest products industry has invested \$1.5 billion in the state's economy during the past decade. The industry directly employs 63,000 people in our state, and another 154,000 jobs have resulted because of these forest product businesses. For every job that is created by our proposed facility, two to three more jobs outside the facility are created. When Georgia-Pacific first joined the community, the average unemployment rate for Crawford County was more than 15 percent. Today, with the growth of manufacturing industries, as well as the tourism industry, our unemployment rate in the county has declined to about 9.3 percent. Our resin plant is a clean, non-polluting facility that blends well with the tourism industry in the county to provide a healthy economic structure.

What safety protection systems are included in the design of the proposed facility?

Georgia-Pacific is investing in the most technologically innovative safety and environmental systems and equipment on the market today. The 100-foot-square, totally enclosed structure will include a fume and vapor recovery system that will ensure there are virtually no air emissions, and a complete "bathtub" style spill protection system will prevent damage to the environment.

If you start manufacturing formaldehyde, will you next want to manufacture methanol?

No. The company does not intend to manufacture methanol at our Beaver Creek facility. Methanol is a raw material that Georgia-Pacific does not manufacture at any of our locations. Georgia-Pacific divested itself of its commodity chemicals business in 1984. At that time, it was determined that the company would focus on its core forest products businesses: building products, pulp and paper and chemicals used in the manufacture of those products.

Will the river and air be polluted?

No. Georgia-Pacific will continue to recycle wastewater into the plant manufacturing process. Virtually all vapors will be burned in a catalytic incinerator, and any heat generated during the manufacturing process will be used to produce steam to provide energy for the facility. As a note, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency concluded that the largest sources of formaldehyde to the environment are automobile exhaust and wood-burning stoves.

Won't there be an increase in railroad and truck traffic?

No. There will be a significant overall reduction in shipments to and from the area because we will have eliminated the need to ship in formaldehyde.

Will the company do an environmental impact study?

Yes. Georgia-Pacific retained Swanson Environmental, Inc., in February to conduct an impartial assessment, which will study any potential impact of the manufacturing facility on air, water, land and socio-economic resources of the surrounding area. This study, while not required under the environmental permitting statute, is expected to be available in the next several weeks.

Why is safety and environmental protection important to Georgia-Pacific?

As employees, we live and work in this area. We also enjoy and appreciate the beautiful outdoor environment and want to ensure that it remains clean and safe for our children and grandchildren. Georgia-Pacific is a good corporate citizen in the hundreds of communities where we operate. We are committed to the safe design and operation of our resin plant to protect the environment for our employees and the surrounding communities. The future of our company is directly linked to a sound environment and the good will and trust of community members.

Please let our public officials know your views on the proposed expansion.

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Wakeley's Auto Parts in cooperation with Beaver Creek Township will remove junk automobiles at no cost to the property owners thru June 15, 1989.

Wakeley's Auto Parts Phone: 348-5079
 Beaver Creek Twp. Phone: 275-8878

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SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

To The Qualified Electors of the Township of South Branch residing south of M-72.

Notice is hereby given, that an election will be held in the

Township of South Branch

on

Tuesday, June 6, 1989

The election is being held to vote on the following proposal:

Shall All That Property South of M-72 of South Branch Township, Crawford County, Michigan, be Created into a Special Assessment District Under Provisions of Michigan Public Act 33 of 1951 as Amended for the Purpose of Raising Money by Special Assessment Therein for Furnishing Ambulance Protection Apparatus, Equipment and Housing for the same?

I, Joseph V. Wakeley, Treasurer of Crawford County, Michigan hereby certify that as of March 31, 1989 the records of this office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of the State of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford County, Michigan is as follows:

By Crawford County	.30 Mills - Building Debt - thru 1994 .50 Mills - Commission on Aging 1989 thru 1992 .75 Mills - Public Transportation - No Limit
By Beaver Creek Township	None
By Grayling Township	1.00 Mill - Fire - 1989 thru 1992
By Frederic Township	1.00 Mill - Landfill - No Limit
By Lovells Township	1.00 Mill - Operations - No Limit
By South Branch Township	2.00 Mills - Fire Protection 1988 thru 1991
By Maple Forest Township	21.15 Mills - Operations - thru 1988 3.00 Mills - Operations - thru 1990 9.00 Mills - Operations - thru 1991 1.00 Mill - Maintenance & Operations thru 1991 3.00 Mills - Operations - thru 1992 .20 Mills - Library - thru 1997
By Crawford AuSable School District	
By Gerrish Higgins School District	

Date 3/31/89

Joseph V. Wakeley
Treasurer, Crawford County

Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls

SECTION 720. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

The polls for the said election will be open from 7 o'clock A.M., and remain open until 8 o'clock p.m., of the same election day.

Mary M. Mollon, Clerk, South Branch Township

Suttles Trucking Expands

Suttles Trucking branch office in Grayling continues to expand since it opened in October of 1988.

Since starting with 5 trucks and 8 tank trailers, Suttles has grown to 8 trucks and 12 tank trailers. Suttles Grayling terminal manager William Bush said they have recently added a new tri-axle tank trailer.

"We've had steady growth each month,"

said Bush. "Much of our growth is due to Georgia Pacific's Resin Plant on Four Mile Rd. The technological know-how of this Georgia-Pacific plant has allowed it to grow and become one of the finest chemical plants in the county,"

he said. "I've visited many chemical plants in the south and east and have never found a plant that is so safety conscious, quality control orientated, and civic-minded as our own Beaver Creek Georgia Pacific plant," said Bush.

Suttles shop foreman

Bruce Thomas also announced the hiring of Terry Nephew for safety inspections on truck and trailers. Gordon Cox, driver, Gregg Cain, driver, and Jon Cragg, driver trainer and safety director, have also been added.

Local Attorney Helps Settle Liability Suit

Grayling attorney Terrence H. Bloomquist and the Grand Rapids law firm of Gruel, Nims, and Pylman have reached a settlement with Marlin Firearms Company concerning an accidental fatal shooting of a Houghton Lake man.

Bloomquist and the Grand Rapids firm represented the estate of William Miller, killed in a hunting accident on November 23, 1988. The firearm involved was a Marlin Glenfield Model 30, 30-30 Caliber lever action rifle with a standard "half cock safety" which required the user, after levering a shell into the rifle chamber, to firmly hold the hammer of the weapon with his thumb while gently pulling the trigger with his forefinger allowing a release of the hammer to a lock position one-half way between full hammer extension and the firing pin. In this case, the user's thumb slipped while attempting to put the weapon on "safety" and the gun discharged accidentally, killing Miller.

The product liability lawsuit alleged that the Marlin lever action rifle and the hammer/thumb extension was defectively designed, because engaging the "safety" required actually pulling the trigger and did not take into consideration commonly accepted principles of human factors and safety engineering which were available to the manufacturer.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Judicial Circuit
For the County of Crawford
Case No. 88-1961 CK (P)

NOTICE OF
FORECLOSURE SALE
Crawford County Bldg.,
Grayling, MI 49738
(517) 348-2841 Ext. 200
GRAYLING STATE BANK,
a Michigan banking
corporation

Plaintiff
David R. Sabin, P.C. P19822
709 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, Michigan 49738
(517) 348-5588

Plaintiff's Attorney
Charles and Kathleen Hudson;
Diane A. and James Hatley;
John and Mary P. Gardner;
Levinus and Nancy DeCoster;
Bruce Gillis; Bernard Hamilton
and Ervin and Janet Campbell,
jointly and severally
Defendants

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

1. On 4/3/89 the 46th Circuit Court of Crawford County Michigan judged in favor of the plaintiff, Grayling State Bank and against the defendant(s), Charles and Kathleen Hudson; Diane A. and James Hatley, II; John and Mary P. Gardner; Levinus and Nancy DeCoster; Bruce Gillis; Bernard Hamilton and Ervin and Janet Campbell.

2. On 6/9/89 at 10:00 a.m. at public auction to be held at Crawford County Bldg., Grayling, MI in this county, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder all of the right, title and interest of defendant(s) in and to the following property:

Commencing 80 feet West of SE corner of Block 8; thence North 90 feet; thence West 36.5 feet; thence South 90 feet; thence East 36.5 feet; being a part of Lots 1 and 2, Block 8, Original Plat of the Village (now City) of Grayling, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 2, Crawford County Records, City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Dated 4-4-89

Elizabeth Wieland,
County Clerk
-27-4-11-18-25-1-

Help Us Clean-Up

TO RESIDENTS OF GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

The annual Spring date for the disposal of used household appliances and furniture and SMALL automotive parts (NO COMMERCIAL) will be held at the GRAYLING TRANSFER STATION on North Down River Road, Saturday, May 27, 1989 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

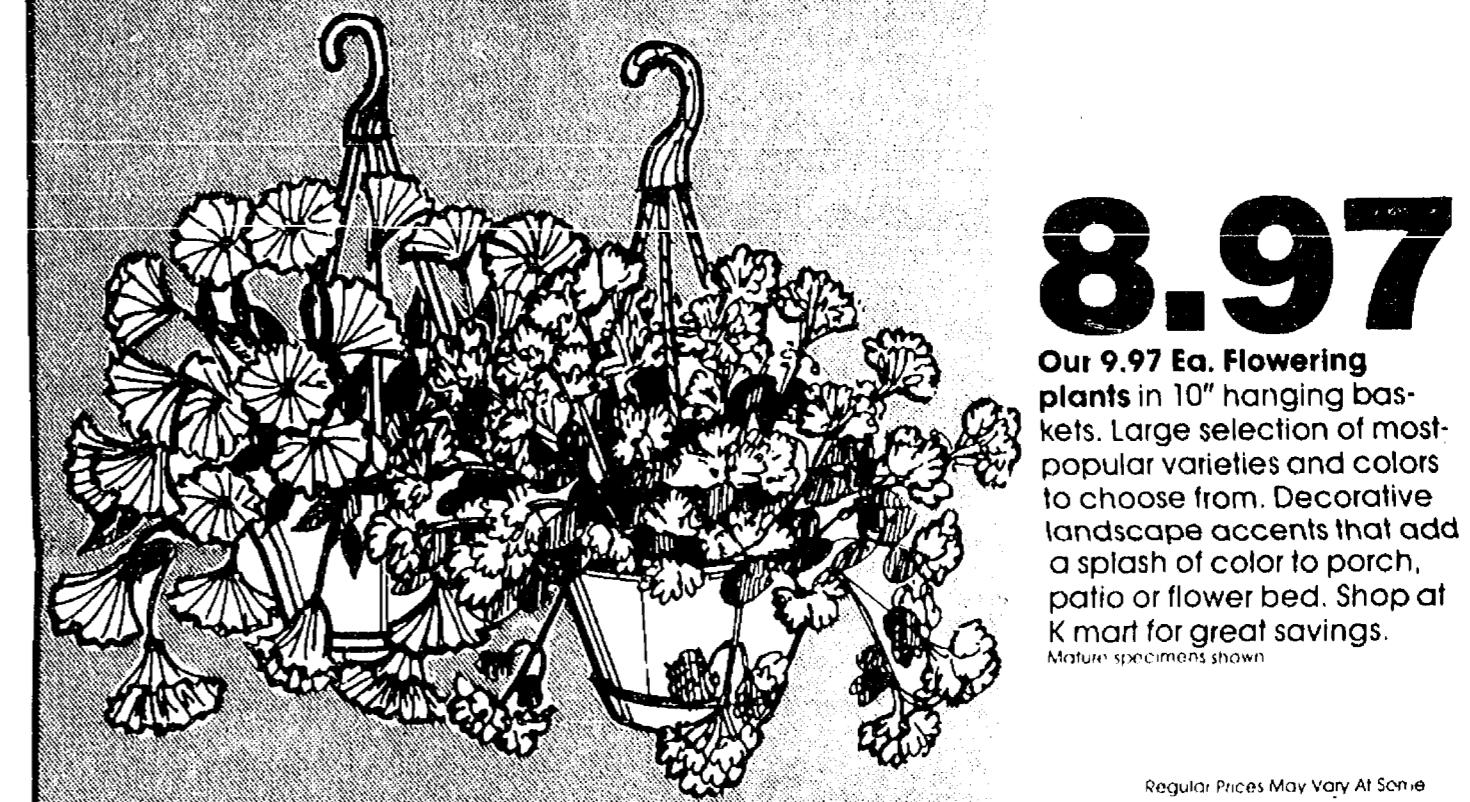
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(SMALL AUTO ITEMS \$1.00)

Monica S. Ashton
Township Clerk

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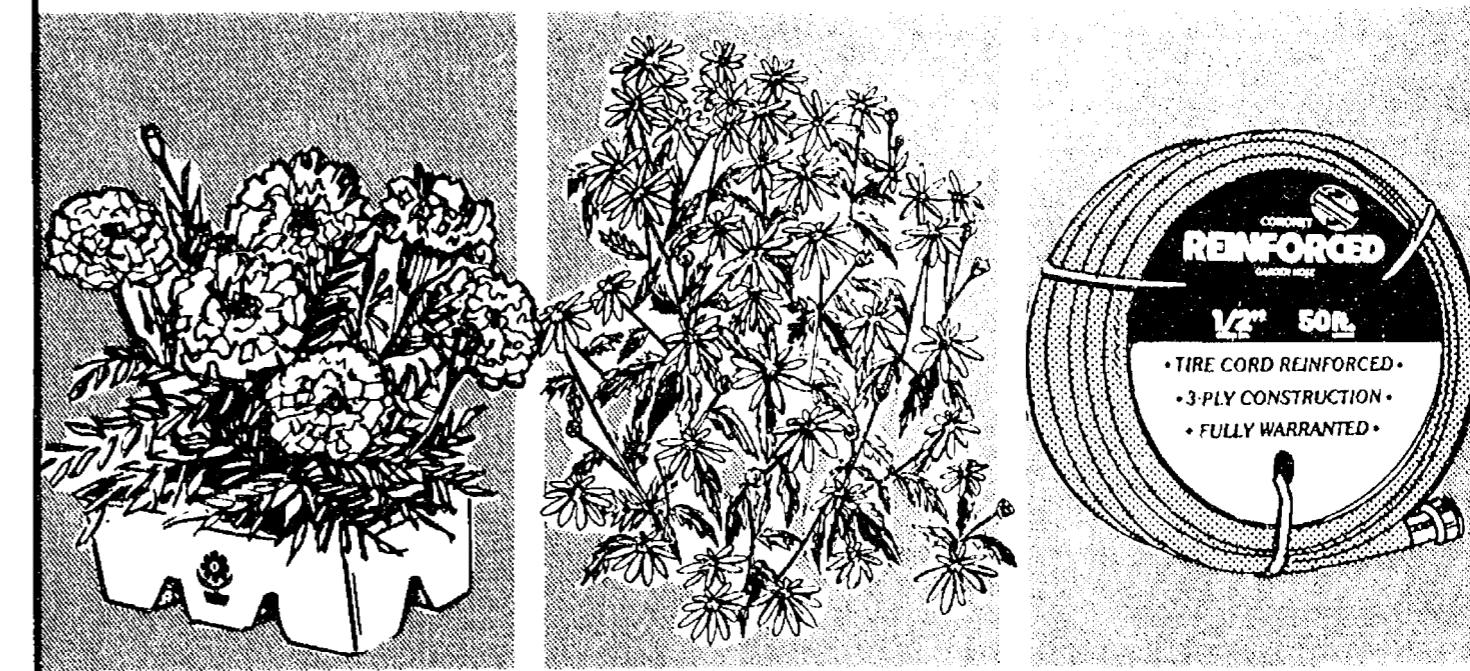
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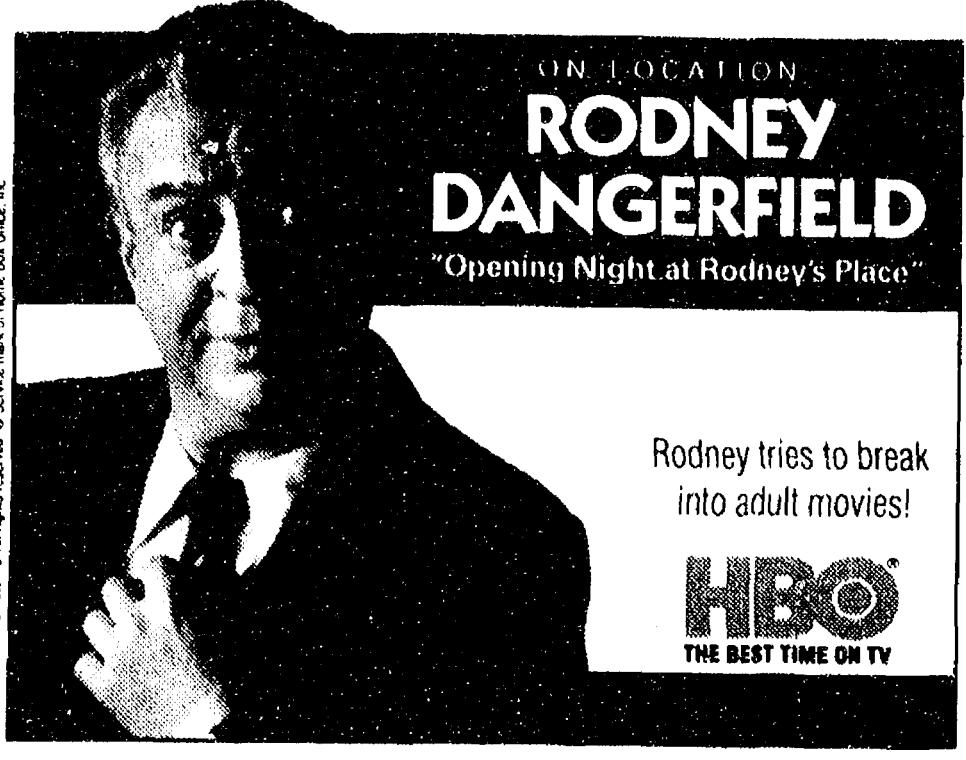
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7	Movie Cont Little/Woman	Double Date G.I. Joe	Today Show	Business Body Elect.	Superbook Dry Gulch	Good Morning, Archie's Jam	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Archie's Jam	CBS This Morning	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8	The Conversation	Flintstones Smurfs	"	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Father Knows America	Bozo Show	"	Business SportCenter	Bozo Show	"	Hillbilly Bewitched
9	Little House On Prairie	Sally Jessy Raphael	Happy Trails	McLaren Melody Ranch	Smurfs Square One	Happy Trails	Sesame Street	Business Sportscenter	Smurfs Square One	"	Little House
10	For Pete's Sake	Hillbilly Break	Top Card	Our House	Smurfs Gumbby	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	Dukes Of Hazzard	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
11	"	700 Club	Wh Fortune Win, Lose	Wh Fortune Win, Lose	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Hillbilly Bewitched
12	Chips	What's Happ Gulligan	Days Of Our Lives	Days Of Our Lives	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
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3	Chippendales	What's Happ Gulligan	Top Card	Top Card	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
4	Naturewatch	Duck Tales	Nashville Now	Nashville Now	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
5	Squad	Duck Tales	People's Ct. News	People's Ct. News	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
6	Dear Amer. Letters Home	Sil/Spoons Facts/Life	NBC News	NBC News	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
7	From Vienna Attraction	Family Ties 3's Company	Current Aff. NBC News	Current Aff. NBC News	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8	Fatal Beauty	Movie: The Jim Henson Hour	Top Card	Top Card	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
9	"	"	1000 Miles To Go	1000 Miles To Go	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
10	Big Bad Mama II	News	Dream Street	Country Rock	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
11	Jeffersons Sanford	News	Tonight	McLaughlin	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
12	Comedy Hour	Fall Guy	Shirley Letterman	Shirley Letterman	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Smurfs Wipe Out	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse

FRIDAY

May 26, 1989

	HBO 2	WBKD 3 (50)	WPBN 4 (7)	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	WGTU 8 (29)	WGN 9	MWT 10 (9)	ESPN 11	TBS 12
7	Sales Cont	Double Date G.I. Joe	Today Show	Business Body Elect.	Superbook Dry Gulch	Good Morning, Archie's Jam	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Archie's Jam	CBS This Morning	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8	The Conversation	Flintstones Smurfs	"	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Father Knows America	Bozo Show	"	Business SportCenter	Bozo Show	"	Hillbilly Bewitched
9	"	Little House On Prairie	Sally Jessy Raphael	McLaren Melody Ranch	Sesame Street	Happy Trails	Lv/Connect Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	Smurfs Gumbby	"	Little House
10	For Pete's Sake	Syndication Break	Top Card	Our House	Smurfs Gumbby	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
11	Sale	700 Club	Wh Fortune Win, Lose	Wh Fortune Win, Lose	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
12	Roxanne	I Love Lucy A. Griffith	News Generations	Talk About Baby	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Wipe Out	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
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SUNDAY

May 28, 1989

	HBO 2	WBKD 3 (50)	WPBN 4 (7)	TNN 5	WCMU 6	CBN 7	WGTU 8 (29)	WGN 9	MWT 10 (9)	ESPN 11	TBS 12
7	Movie Cont Little/Woman	Hour Of Mercury	Business	Business Body Elect.	Superbook Dry Gulch	Good Morning, Archie's Jam	CBS This Morning	Nation's Business	Archie's Jam	CBS This Morning	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8	Baber Encyclopedia	Church Of Jerry	Church Of Jerry	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	D. James Jimmy Swaggart	Very Own Show	Lv/Connect Gumbby	Business SportCenter	Bozo Show	"	Hillbilly Bewitched
9	"	Why Watch You	Robert Schuler	Amer. Horse Bassmasters	Sesame Street	Happy Trails	Smurfs Gumbby	Business Sportscenter	Smurfs Gumbby	"	Little House
10	Can	Sunday Today	Performance Heroes	Time Station	I. Ogilvie O. Roberts	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
11	Nasty Hero	Wrestling	Meet/Press	Long Ago	Kidsworld	Movie: The	Bugs Bunny	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
12	Not/News	Star Trek	Mind Power	Marathon	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
1	Mayflower Modem	Movie: Grow Rich World	Performance	Bassmasters	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
2	Police	Movie: Millionaire Motoworld	Remodeling	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
3	Academy 5	Movie: Star Search	American Great Performances	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
4	Naturewatch Project X	USA Today	Performance	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
5	Lifestyles Rich Famous	NBC News	Performance	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
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7	Kid	World Of Kidnapping	Performance	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
8	Third Degree Burn	Funny Tie Day By Day	Remodeling	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
9	9	Shendling T. Ulman	Movie: Truckin'	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Bravestarr	Business Sportscenter	700 Club	Dukes Of Hazzard	Tom/Jerry's Funhouse
10	10	Not/News Police	Movie: From Scratch	Remodeling	Mr. Rogers Zooobiles	Top Card	Br				

Sandifer, Kerekes In Concert June 5

Phillip Sandifer from Austin, Texas, is a Christian recording artist who has three albums available. One of his most admired songs, "Just Because You Are" is often heard on WPHN in Gaylord, along with other top songs such as "Keeping The Dream Alive", and "Where Do We Go From Here".

Phillip Sandifer who was signed with Sparrow Records, is now on "Urgent Record." Phillip's songs touch all ages, and many prompt us to take a good look at ourselves.

Opening for Phillip will be Keyna Kerekes,

The Bible Speaks From Calvary Baptist Church

The Gospel of John

Part #79

Fruit Bearing Union

John 15 teaches many lessons on Christian fruit bearing. Jesus Christ uses the vine and branches as an allegorical method to teach us this union. "I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman." (John 15:1). God, the father assumes sovereign oversight over our fruit bearing. Jesus Christ is the source or channel through which we are enabled to bear fruit unto God. We must have faith in Him, and fellowship with Him, before we can bear fruit from Him and for Him.

"Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away: and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit." (John 15:2). Every Christian is a branch connected to the living vine, Jesus Christ. The branch which uses the power of the vine to produce more growth in the branch rather than to produce fruit, is cut away. Our purpose as Christians is to bear fruit. God deals with self and sin in our lives that we may become more fruitful for Him. His goal for every Christian is fruit. He never saved any Christian to be an idle decoration of self glory.

"Now ye are clean through the word which I have spoken unto you." (John 15:3). God's labor in pruning and dressing the

branches for bearing fruit comes from His Holy Scriptures. The Christian being filled with the Holy Spirit in Galatians 5 is synonymous with being filled with the word of Christ in Colossians 3. Ephesians 6:17 tells us the sword of the Spirit is the Word of God. Therefore, the entire trinity, God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit is involved in preparing the Christian for bearing fruit.

The power of the Word of God to prune us for fruit bearing is seen in Hebrews 4:12: "For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a dissembler of the thoughts and intents of the heart. Neither is there any creature that is not manifest in his sight: but all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do."

God saved us to serve Him! May God help us to remember the reason we remain upon earth. Jesus said, "Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them." Our fruit reveals our faith. (Hear "The Bible Speaks" at 12:15 p.m. Tuesday on WQON 100 FM).

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Dorothy May Atkinson, 67, of Otsego Lake, passed away at her residence on Sunday, May 21, 1989. Ms. Atkinson's body was cremated and no services are planned. Arrangements were handled by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Ms. Atkinson was born in Almont, Michigan on October 24, 1921 to Elmer and Emma (Aikman) Atkinson.

She leaves 1 sister, Barbara G. Klein, of Waters, nieces and nephews.

Marion E. Ogletree

Marion E. Ogletree, age 70, died Friday, May 19, 1989, at her sister's home in Lovells.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 23, at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, at 2 p.m. with the Reverend Jeffery Regan officiating.

Pallbearers were Roger Conner, Robert Hartwig, Richard Hartwig, Harry Janes, Marvin Kuzma, and Edward May. Burial was in the Lovells Cemetery in Lovells Township.

Marion was born in Smiths Falls, Ontario, Canada, on July 15, 1918, to Alexander and Anna (Bennett) Derbyshire. She married W. Tracy Ogletree on November 22, 1941, in Smiths Falls, Ontario.

Marion was a resident at K.P. Lake in Lovells since October of 1985. Had lived in England for 15 years before living at K.P. Lake. Prior to living in England, had lived in Farmington Hills, Michigan.

Survivors include, husband, W. Tracy Ogletree of Lovells; 1 daughter, Susan Conner of Potomac, Maryland; 1 son, Robert T. Ogletree of Livonia, Michigan; 3 sisters, Pansy Crate of Smiths Falls, Ontario, Ann Sterling of Lovells, and Lillian Janes of Highland; and 2 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Clarence Derbyshire.

Memorials to the American Cancer Society are suggested by the family.

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The Grayling State Bank will continue to be committed to the financial future of the residents of the Frederic area.

The Bank premises will be donated to the Township of Frederic after the closing date.

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Plaintiffs,

v
Charles R. Mengher, et al.
Defendants.

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File No. 89-2008-C/K

ORDER OF POSTING

At a session of said Court held in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan on the 2nd day of May, 1989.

PRESENT: Honorable Alton T. Davis Circuit Court Judge.

Upon a review of the pleadings filed in the instant case, and a review of the Affidavit for Order of Posting filed by Affiant herein, and the Court being otherwise fully advised in the premises:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that service in the instant matter may be accomplished pursuant to M.C.R. 2.106(e).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiffs shall post a copy of the instant order at the Courthouse in Crawford County, the Post Office in Crawford County, County Building in the City of Grayling, and the real property referenced in Plaintiff's complaint, for a period of three (3) consecutive weeks. Plaintiffs, or their designated attorney in fact may accomplish the posting ordered above.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order and notice shall be published for three consecutive weeks in a local newspaper of general circulation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that Defendant may have a period of twenty-eight (28) days from date of last publication to file an answer to the instant complaint. In the event an answer is not timely filed, then Plaintiffs may seek default and default judgment.

Dated: 5/2/89
Honorable Alton T. Davis
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Resource Review

By Bruce Patrick
Conservation Officer

A problem we face every spring is the removal of young animals from their natural habitat. Many people just cannot help themselves when they see what they think is an abandoned baby. A serious situation arises when the animal involved is a deer. A fawn is cute, fun and defenseless and people feel they are doing a good thing when they "rescue" it from the wild.

What people don't realize is that 99% of the time the fawn's mother is probably watching them as they pick it up and carry it away. Practically any animal will leave its young for various lengths of time. Never far away, always watchful, the parent is there.

After the fawn is "saved", problems begin to develop. What to feed it? Where to keep it? How long to keep it? A wild animal raised in close captivity does not have an opportunity to fine tune survival skills needed in the wild and has a reduced chance of survival when released.

Some animals become dangerous as they become older. A young girl from the thumb area was nearly killed several years ago by an antlered buck which had been raised by a neighboring farmer. The 1/4

year old buck attacked the girl for no apparent reason, severely lacerating her face with his antlers as she approached to pet him.

A raccoon, another frequently "saved" baby animal is a very endearing wild baby. But they have a real tendency to viciousness as they grow older.

The best thing to do when you see a young wild animal is to leave it alone. Don't touch, don't approach too closely. Observe it quietly if you wish, but leave it where you find it. Nature takes care of its own.

Verse or Worse

By Joseph D. Murphy

Grant

Grant Thompson was the kind of man
Of which legends are made.
To the folks who knew him
His memory just won't fade.

He was a big, strong, husky man.
Hard work had been his lot.
Whenever he had a job to do,
He always gave it his best shot.

He managed the airport for years—
The military part.
He kept everything neat and clean.
He took his job to heart.

Everything was kept just so.
The roads were his special pride.
He would grade and rake them
Till they were neat from side to side.

If you had to go to the airport,
You had better drive carefully there.
If you tore up one of the corners,
He was angry as a bear.

He would hand you a garden rake
And tell you to rake it out.
You had better do a real good job,
Of that he left no doubt.

He was a hard-working, honest man.
A good friend who'd share your load.
But you had better be careful
You didn't tear up his road.

Grant has gone to his reward, now.
So, when your trip to heaven, you make.
You had better be careful on the corners
Or Grant will hand you a rake.

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6:30-11 p.m.
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TUESDAY

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St. Francis of Assisi
Church, Lewiston

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The Grayling Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m., June 6, 1989 in the Grayling Township offices, 6839 M-72 West, Grayling to receive and review public opinion regarding the following case.

Case 89-2NA: Judith and Harlon McMillan, petitioners. Property Code: 20-041-008-004-220-00. Located in the Natural River Zone Section 8, T28N, R38W.

A request for Class "A" Designation on non-conforming structures.

Zoning Ordinance map and case file are available for inspection at the Grayling Township Office during regular office hours.

Correspondence concerning the request may be directed to Grayling Township, P.O. Box 621, Grayling, MI 49738. Phone (517) 848-4561.

HURON-MANISTEE NATIONAL FORESTS

TIMBER SALE

LEMON WARBLER SALE, Located within section 30, T25N, R2E, Michigan Meridian, Oscoda County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received at the Mio District Office, Mio, Michigan up to 11:00 A.M. local time on June 22, 1989, for an estimated 721.5 Mbf. The estimated sampling error is 17 percent and the advertised sale value is \$10,006.16.

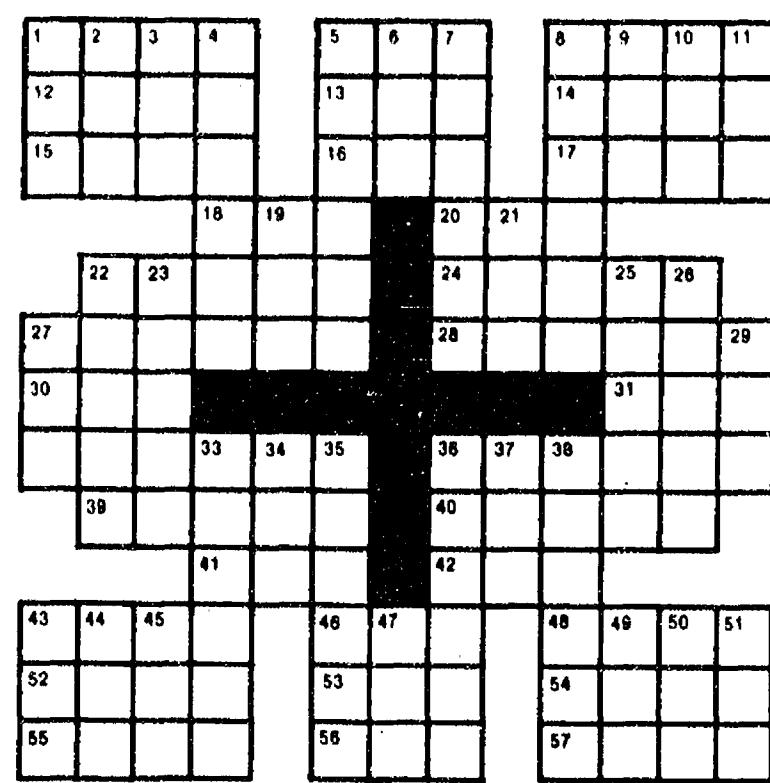
The required bid guarantee is \$600.00 and must accompany the sealed bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. A prospectus and other information concerning this sale may be obtained from the District Ranger at Mio, Michigan or the Forest Supervisor's Office at 421 S. Mitchell Street, Cadillac, Michigan.

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WEEKEND CROSSWORD

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Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 5/28-6/3/89

ARIES Mar. 21-Apr. 19

You should be at your persuasive best, and can talk your way into, or out of, just about anything.

TAURUS Apr. 20-May 20

The trend is toward success in teamwork. It's time to focus on productive activities. Social affairs provide the opportunity.

GEMINI May 21-June 20

Job or career efforts pay off. Problems seem to disintegrate as your magnetism works its charms.

CANCER June 21-July 22

A meeting behind the scenes puts a close relationship in an entirely new light. Watch your step.

LEO July 23-Aug. 22

Look for the unexpected where co-workers are concerned—possibly a surprise bid to join a prestigious group.

VIRGO Aug. 23-Sept. 22

Business and pleasure go well together. You are inclined to get around to interesting places and meet unusual people.

LIBRA Sept. 23-Oct. 22

Clear up outstanding debts, and look forward to a refreshing vacation and a change of scene. Make your reservations.

SCORPIO Oct. 23-Nov. 21

The financial success of a community project is pretty much assured. Share the limelight with those who made it possible.

SAGITTARIUS Nov. 22-Dec. 21

Financial matters claim time and attention. Look to your own records and don't be so concerned about a partner's action.

CAPRICORN Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Work responsibilities are highlighted. Look for more efficient ways of getting the job done. Follow good health practices.

AQUARIUS Jan. 20-Feb. 18

Aspects seem to indicate a new love in your life. Are you holding a big secret close to your heart?

PISCES Feb. 19-Mar. 20

Finalizing a property deal has everything in your favor. Inspection by an expert in such matters is indicated.



Recipes

By Phyllis Brummer

These recipes are from the Quaker Oaks Company and sound as though they might be worth trying.

Meat Loaves Italianos

1/2 c. oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked)

1-8 oz. can tomato sauce

1-2 1/2 oz. can sliced ripe olives, drained

1 egg (optional)

1 tbsp. instant minced onion

1/2 tsp. Italian seasoning

1/4 tsp. salt (optional)

1 lb. lean ground beef

1/8 tsp. garlic powder

1/2 c. shredded part-skim mozzarella cheese

Combine oats, flour, brown sugar, nuts, soda and salt. Add margarine, mixing until crumbly. Reserve 1/4 c. mixture; press remaining mixture onto bottom of greased 7 x 11 inch pan. Bake 10 minutes at 350°. Combine berries, granulated sugar and 2 tbsp. water. Simmer 2 minutes. Combine remaining 1 tbsp. water, cornstarch and lemon juice and gradually stir into berry mixture. Cook until thickened. Spread over baked base to within 1/4 inch of edge. Sprinkle with reserved oat mixture and bake 18-20 minutes or until top is golden brown.

Following is a HeartSmart recipe for people who are watching their cholesterol intake.

Buttermilk Corn Muffin

1 c. yellow cornmeal

1 c. flour

3 tbsp. sugar

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Auto Parts Store Grew From Gasoline Business

By Irene Pettyjohn

Moore's Automotive, formerly Tufts' Distributing and before that Grayling Gas and Oil, has been in continuous operation since it was started in 1938 by Jessie Schoonover.

William (Bill) Tufts purchased the gasoline business, which he renamed Tufts' Distributing, from Schoonover soon after Tufts returned from the Philippines at the end of World War II. (Schoonover was Tufts' father-in-law.) Tufts financed his new business with money he and his wife, Pauline, had saved during the war.

"When Jessie first began the gasoline business, he sold McClanahan's Gold Seal Gasoline," said Tufts. "Don't blame people if they haven't heard of the company," he said, "because it didn't last too long."

Bill said that when McClanahan went belly up, Schoonover switched to Texaco, and Tufts' Distributing continued to sell Texaco products until the business was sold in 1977. (McClanahan, a wildcatter, was the original owner of River Bend Estates, formerly the Rayburn Estate, located on M-72 East.)

Tufts, from Wisconsin, came to Michigan in 1939 to work in a Civilian Conservation Camp (CCC) in Rogers City. He was transferred to CCC Camp 672 at North Higgins Lake for a short time (time enough to meet his future bride), and then was transferred

back to Rogers City. He returned to Grayling and married Miss Schoonover in 1940, "about the time Uncle Sam decided he wanted me to serve him," Tufts said.

In 1945, Tufts' Distributing consisted of three tanks, a small shed for the pumping equipment, one 836 gallon truck, and one employee, Perry Akers.

TOO COLD

"We carried two grades of Texaco gasoline, Firechief and Skycheif, white gas, and #1 fuel oil," said Tufts. "We couldn't carry #2 fuel oil," he explained, "because it didn't last too long."

Tufts' furnished gasoline and fuel oil to service stations and to private individuals. It also distributed white gas to residents without electricity, who operated their own light plants. Delivery routes went north to Gaylord, south to Houghton Lake, east to Lewiston and west to Kalkaska.

NO ELECTRICITY

Tufts said that in 1945, with the exception of the City of Grayling, the Lake Marquette area and parts of Beaver Creek, most of Crawford County was without electricity.

"The pump on the side of the truck was run by a Briggs & Stratton engine," said Tufts, "that did not al-

ways work." Tufts said that when the engine refused to run the driver had to bucket the gasoline by hand. Because there was only one pump on the truck (used for fuel oil), the white gasoline was all bucketed by hand.

"That kept me thin," said Tufts.

"In the early years," Tufts recalled, "there were many times when our truck was on the roads ahead of the plows. We used to tell the boys down at the road commission that we were breaking trail for them," he said.

Because of the scarcity of telephones in the county during the mid 1950's, Tufts said that his trucks were equipped with radios.

"If a truck broke down 25 miles in the country," he said, "you lost a truck and a driver all day, while the driver tried to find help."

Early employees included Art Williams, Wilber (Wimp) Winslow, and Oliver Hayes. Later, George Hanson and Stanley Owens were hired.

KOREAN WAR

There were two major turning points during Tufts' 32 year history. The first came in 1951 when Tufts was recalled to active duty with the Army during the Korean conflict.

"I was faced with the decision of either selling out or incorporating," Tufts said. He incorporated, took on an associate, Bob Hanson, and the busi-

ness became Tufts' Distributing Company. Hanson ran the business while Tufts fought the Korean War from LaRochelle, France.

Hanson was a native of Grayling. Before his association with Tufts', Hanson had worked for McEvers' Motor Sales. During World War II Hanson served in the Army with the 752 Tank Battalion in North Africa and Italy. He married Frances (Fran) Rukowski from Grayling in 1951. The Hansons had two children, a son, Rob, who lives in Grayling and a daughter Nancy Suttles who is married and lives in West Fargo, N.D. The Hansons have a grandson, Wesley.

AUTO PARTS

The second turning point to Tufts' came around 1957 when it became a NAPA dealership. Tufts' had been selling some auto parts since about 1953.

"Up until then we had dealt with a series of jobbers throughout the area," said Tufts, "but NAPA put us in a class by ourselves. Pretty soon," he said, "the tail began wagging the dog, and auto parts sales became the major part of the business."

Tufts' Distributing Co. reached its peak about 1965. By this time it had three trucks and 10 employees.

The last couple years before Tufts and Hanson sold the business, they battled oil embargo problems.

"We didn't know from one day's end to the next," Tufts stated, "whether we were in the gasoline business or not. It got to a point that it was a big headache," he said, "and NAPA was the only pleasant part."

"When I got out," he said, "I was ready to get out. The fun had gone out of the business."

Tufts' Distributing Company was sold in 1977 to a group of four investors from Grand Rapids. One of the investors, Al Tuuk, was the general manager of Grand Rapids Automotive, who had been the NAPA supplier for Tufts'.

Bob Hanson continued to work for the new owners until his semi-retirement in 1985.

Retirement for the Tufts' is not all bad. Tufts and his wife, Gladys, enjoy a busy life traveling and serving others through their involvement in the RSVP Program.

"In the doing of our volunteer work," Tufts said, "we get an awful lot more out of it, than the people we are trying to help."

Fred Moore purchased the auto parts portion of Tuft's Distributing from Tuuk on May 1, 1977, and renamed the business, Moore's Automotive. The gas and oil distributing business was sold to Blarney Castle, and the real estate was sold to several individuals.

During the 12 years Moore has owned the business he has made both administrative and structural changes.

Moore brought the business into the computer age when he transferred the old manual card inventory system to a nationwide NAPA computer system.

"Today, when we make a sale, the com-

puter records the sale and automatically re-orders the item," said Moore.

"Special orders are easier to place, too," he said. "I can enter the part number into the computer, and it scans the Grand Rapids' distribution center stock instantly. If they don't have the part," explained Moore, "the computer will automatically begin scanning inventories in Detroit, Fort Wayne, Indianapolis, Columbus, Carleton, Cleveland, and Cincinnati."

"The computer has the capability of checking inventories worth \$50,000,000," Moore said.

Structural changes included tearing down the original white office, and adding a 40 x 40 foot storage facility. Moore said that the addition was constructed over a portion of the existing building. He said that steel beams were placed down the length of the addition to make it appear to be one building. Renovation also included remodeling the interior display area. The front landscaping added the finishing touch to Moore's rejuvenation project.

Moore's Automotive offers overnight delivery from Detroit and Grand Rapids, and two day delivery from out-of-state centers.

Besides supplying NAPA auto parts, Moore's mixes automotive paints, turns brake drums and rotors, and assembles hydraulic hoses.

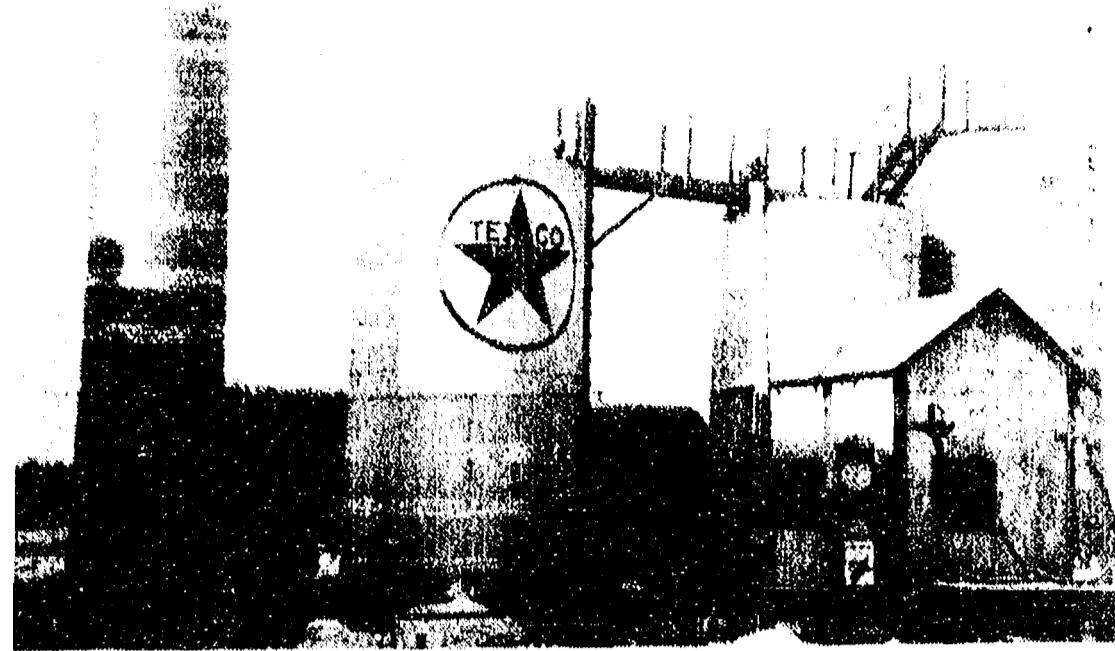
"We try to give the best service on hard-to-get parts," said Moore.

Moore's Automotive offers quality NAPA parts that carry the NAPA nation-wide warranty.

"If a person buys NAPA parts here," explained Moore, "and they go somewhere else and it goes bad, there is an 800 number that will assist the customer locate the nearest NAPA store, and NAPA will replace the part free of charge." Moore said that this warranty is good anywhere in America.

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Business



Tufts' Distributing in 1945

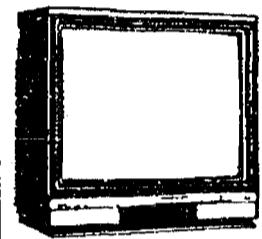
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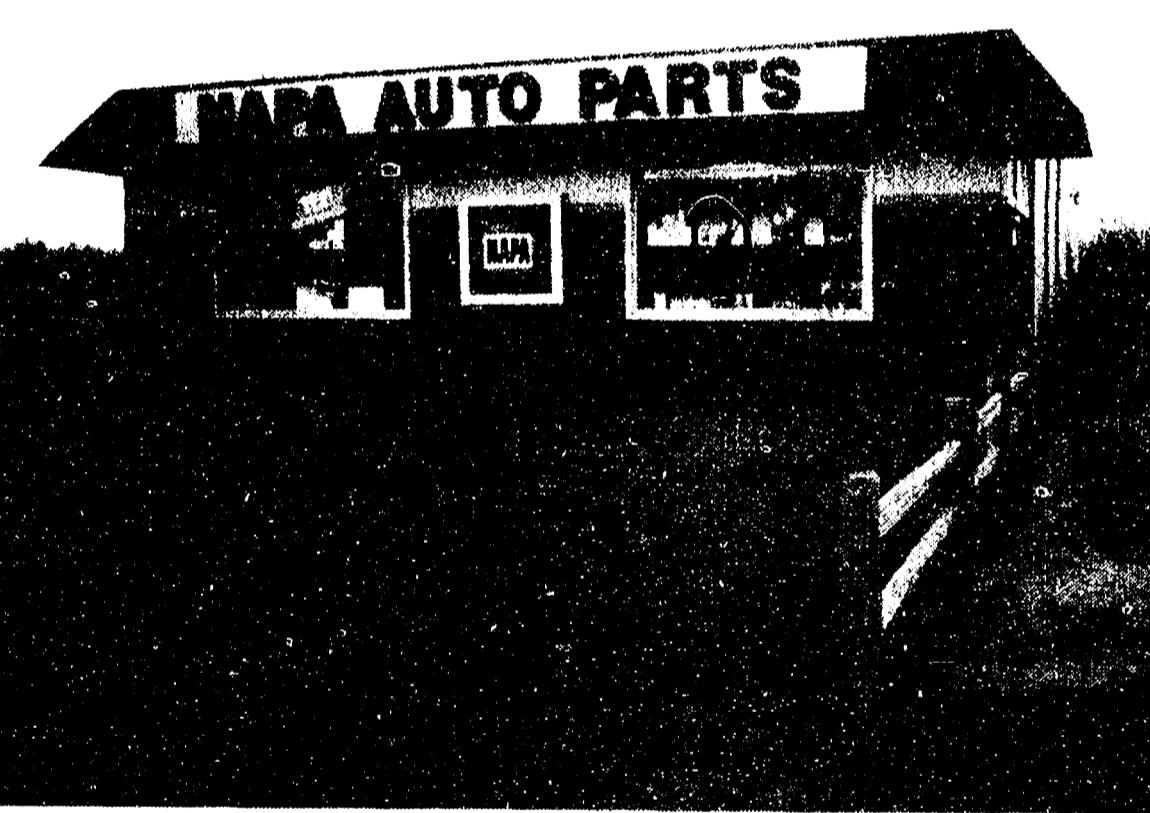
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